

# Canon Bail



1969



Rick,  
I want you to know  
that you've really helped  
me a lot this year in  
more ways than one. Your  
gratulations as Secretary, I  
couldn't have made a better  
choice. Keep Molly in line  
and have a good summer.  
See ya,

Bob  
Armistead

Rick -  
Well, we stuck it out in Flatt's  
Mech. Drawing! At least we both  
passed (with the same grade - I wonder  
why?) Smithson nearly killed us  
both so stay in shape this summer  
to make it through CALCULUS! next  
year. Good luck to a good buddy -  
- Bob M<sup>2</sup>

Rick,  
It's been  
a great knowing  
this year. You've  
been a real friend.  
I hope to see you  
this summer. Good luck  
Stewart Blomough

Rick,  
to Dr. Gentry's  
favorite pupil in 8<sup>th</sup>  
period English class and  
to a great Basketball player  
& a great friend  
- Dan Gentry

Rick,  
It's been great knowing  
you this year. Good  
luck in your baseball  
this summer. Hope to  
see you this summer  
Charlie Warfield

Rick  
It's been great knowing  
you these past years.  
We've come along way  
since the Franklin Road Boys  
Keep up the good work  
and don't forget D &  
you're one of the members  
that make it enjoyable  
for me.  
Good luck  
K. J.







Rick. (Fuzzy)

I can't begin to tell you how much you help me this year. Taking Patsy and I everywhere. at one time I thought about de-pledging, but because of you & Nate I knew I couldn't. Now I am crazy over AE because of your influence I'm basketball next year, we're going to go places with you & I at guards. Again I want to thank you for everything.

A lifetime friend,  
Houston

P.S. work hard this summer & stay in shape.

Hey Pres  
Congratulations, and  
be good. I hope you  
do well next year.  
Tommy West

John?  
You next year, Best of Luck.  
I'm back in this summer. See  
baseball team great stay out  
of trouble. I'm great next year.  
I've been great next year.  
Had a lot of fun in this summer.  
Sure have a lot of fun in this summer.

Rick,

Of all the Honor Council members, you and Nate are the best. Of the Delta Sigs I know you and Nate are still the best. Next year, you, P. Bud, Nate, Tommy, and I will have to really raise it at B.G.A. I have thoroughly enjoyed knowing you these last two years, and I hope see more of you this summer. Best of Luck

Teddy

Ricks.  
I have enjoyed know-  
ing you for 3 years!  
You have really worked  
for AE and you have worked  
just as hard for B.G.A. Con-  
gratulations! See you this  
summer at Sig combos!  
Good luck!  
Mike Benckley

Sam Weiland  
It's been fun in the  
great you with  
Spanish class us  
and Mr. Moore us  
drive to much  
Don't raise it  
well



Rick,

It's been great knowing you for the past three years. Congratulations on being on the big Student Council. Take it easy this summer and if you're ever in Pulaski be sure to look me up. Take care of Molly Miller & raise it this summer. Good luck, Jimmy Moore

# The Cannon Ball 1969

BATTLE GROUND ACADEMY

FRANKLIN, TENNESSEE

Big Rick,

It sure has been great these last few years, especially this year. I have loved being in Physics and baseball with you & your silly little animacule. I'm sorry about your little sickness, you better get well quick. Rick, I will miss you and all the things we've done while I'm away - I will never forget them. Best wishes and Good luck in everything you do. Congratulations on being elected to the Student Council, you will be a good leader.

Paul Muncy

Rick - It's been great knowing you these past few years. Have a good summer and be good. I'd be a big. Tommy McMillin

Rick,  
You are one of the greatest guys I know. Take care of Molly & and Goat. I hope you succeed in everything you try. Take care of yourself and have a good summer.  
R. Anderson  
'69

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Rick,  
It's been great knowing  
you, but I'm finally getting  
to leave. Lots of luck next year.  
LEONARD HERRINGTON

I am youth. Once I was a boy, one day I will be a man. I wait for manhood excitedly, impatiently, childishly—I experience all as I wait.

Yes, I am youth; and I am gregarious, yet a loner. I seek knowledge, yet I shun from it. I am an iconoclast, yet sometimes a traditionalist.

Then—What am I? I am youth and I am a paradox.

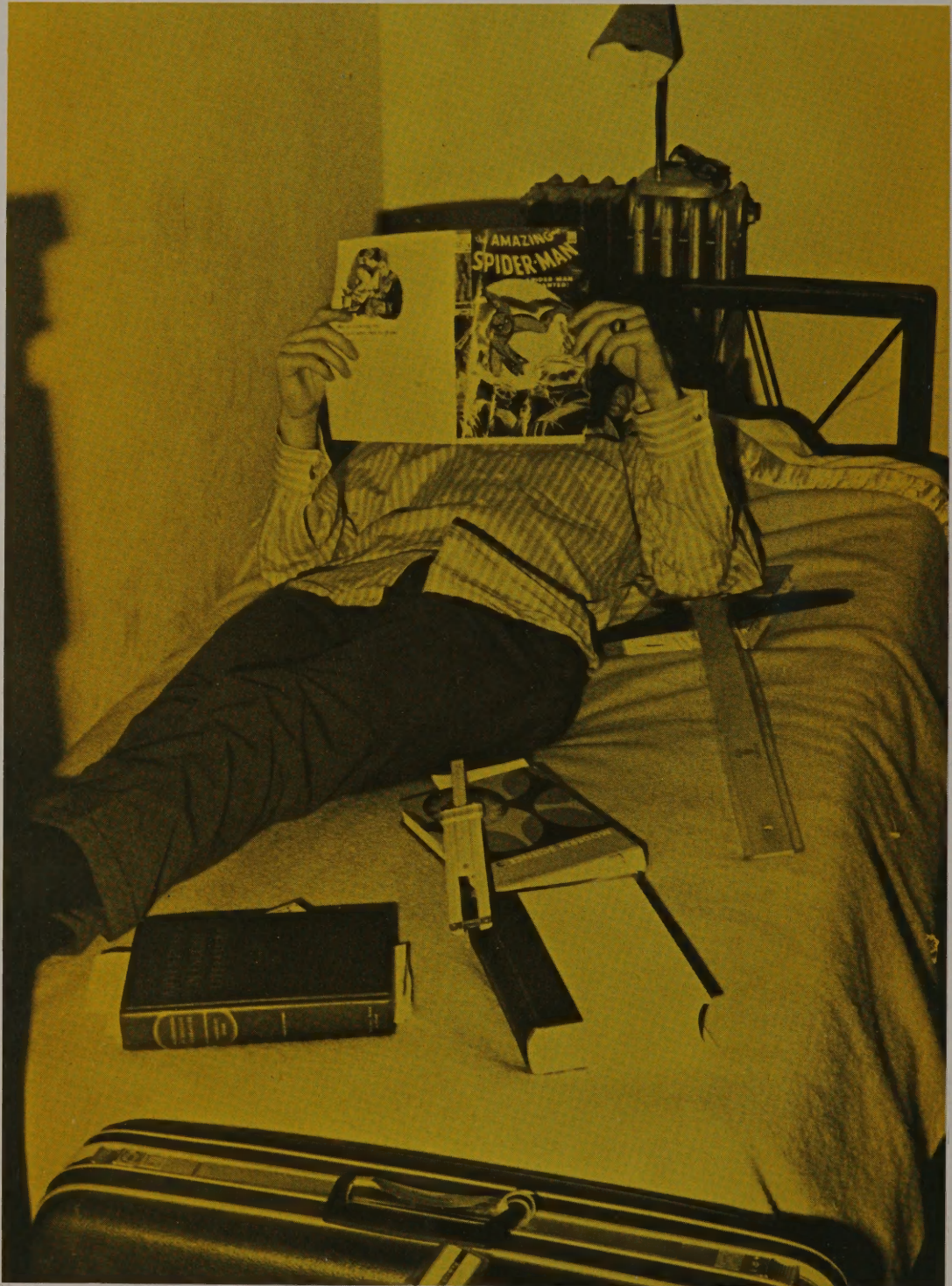


Rick,  
Congratulations on  
your election as Sec. of  
AZ and Vice-President  
of the student council.  
I expect you & Kate  
to lead AZ and S.G.A.  
to great heights next  
year. Take care of Ruthie,  
Betha, & Miriam next year  
& be a good boy.  
your friend  
Bill Armstrong

**I am Youth...**



*...and I am a Paradox...*



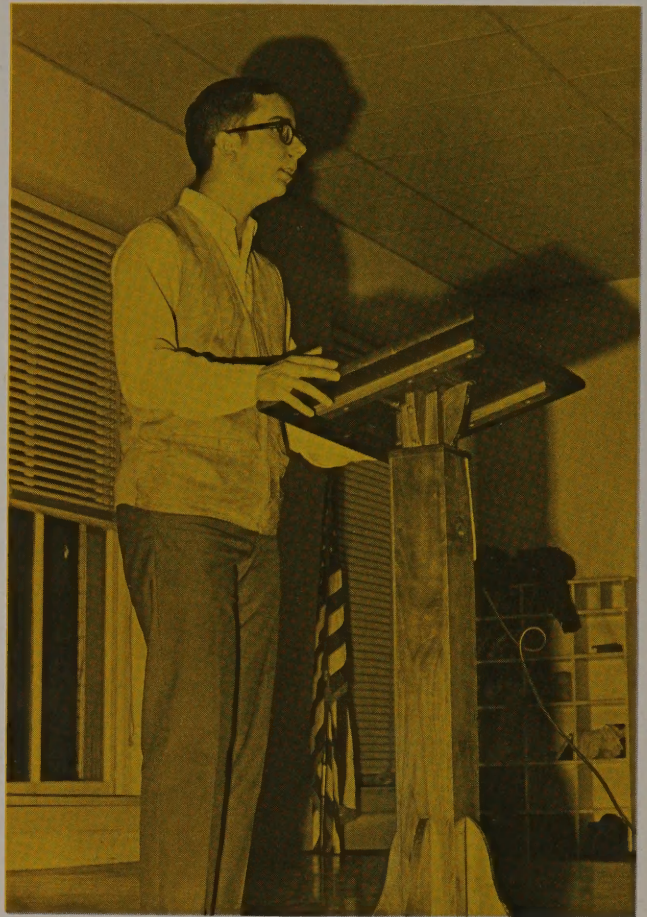




*... If I seem indifferent it is  
because I feel too deeply, If I  
seem boastful, It is to cover  
my shortcomings...*



*... I am Youth  
and I long to be  
different, stronger,  
more honest, more  
aware, more alive  
than other men...*







*... I am Youth... and I  
long to be a conformist... to  
dress, act and  
talk like the crowd...*





*... I am a Child*

*Eighteen does not make me too old to  
climb on my father's lap when my castles  
in the sky come tumbling down...*





*I am an Adult.  
I try to be  
conscious of  
God and the  
world around  
me...*





*I am a realist.  
Be honest with me,  
I can sense  
hypocrisy and  
I loathe it. I can-  
not condone a  
leader who does  
not know the way,  
show the way,  
go the way...*



*...I am an  
Idealist. I  
will act on  
principle for  
its sake  
alone...*



*... I am an age of  
mountainous love and deep  
despair...*









During our years at Battle Ground, there have been certain experiences which we cherish more than others; so also it is with the relationships we have developed with many of the faculty members.

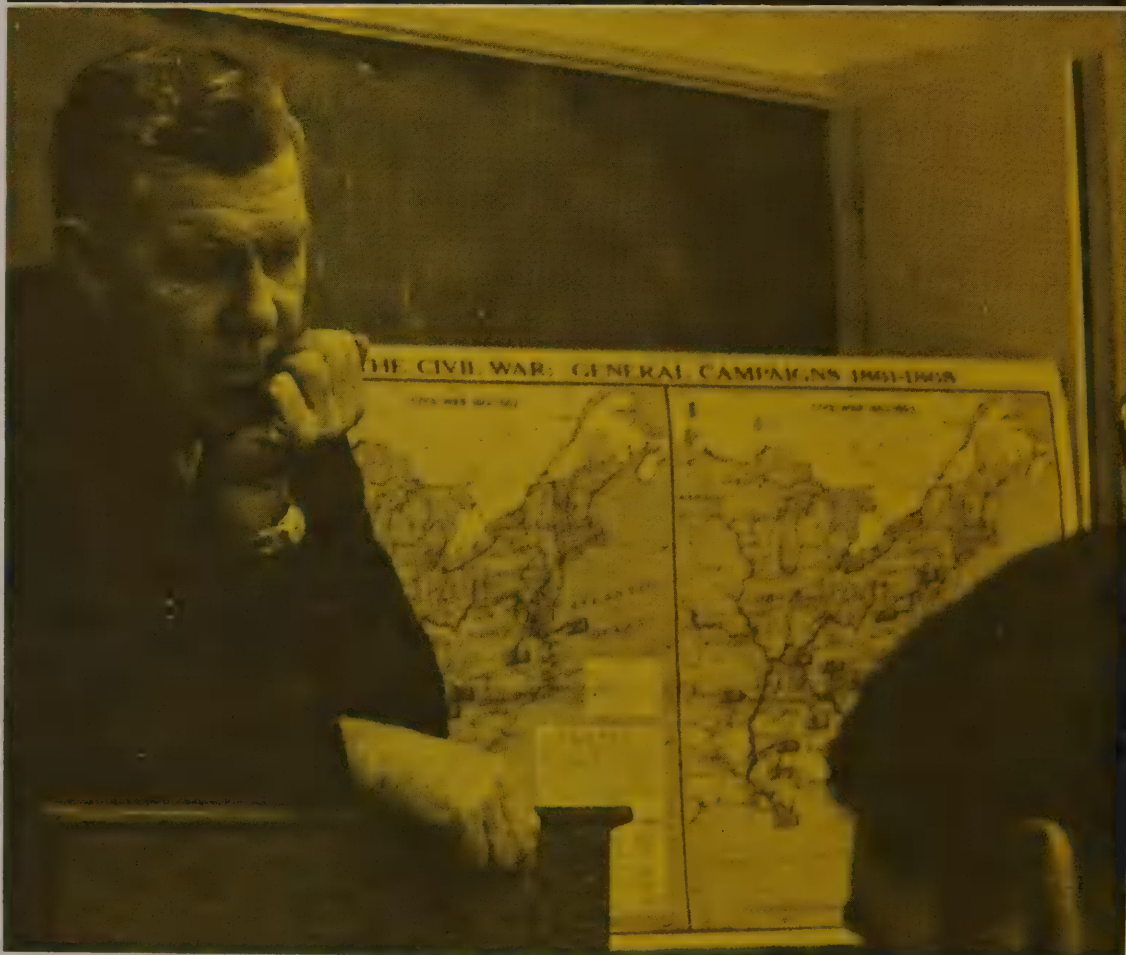
Rod McKuen expressed this emotion so poignantly when he wrote:

" . . . Think of all the men who never knew the answers, think of all of those who never even cared. Still there are some who ask why, who want to know, who dare to try. Every now and then we meet that kind of man here he comes again and now he's gone."

For his constant companionship, his guidance in our activities, and his understanding of young people—we dedicate the 1969 CANNON BALL to Mr. Tony Cobb.











code 1  
Smetecov  
Mr. Rogers

*... I am Youth  
and I long  
to be Educated*



Yes, I long to be educated.  
Education is the essence of  
manhood.

I seek a complete education.  
I want learning to fill every cell  
in my brain. I need to be se-  
cure with my knowledge.

I love life. I want to grasp  
all things it has to offer, good  
and bad, and learn from them.

That's what it's all about,  
isn't it—Getting an education  
from books and from people?



## *Administration*

A school can only be as good as its faculty. At BGA the men who are challenged with the task of education are of a truly select minority. Teachers are made of many things: perseverance, dedication, and a sense of justice to name a few. Many thankless hours of toil and frustration must go into the life of an educator; few professions demand such a spectrum of talent. These are men who care, care enough to give of themselves so that we may receive the benefit of their knowledge. Upon their shoulders rests the destiny of youth, the leaders of tomorrow. The pride which these men share and the time spent in teaching and coaching boys, both mentally and physically, is but a surface indication of their sacrifice. The select group of students who are privileged to be under the guidance of these men are receiving a firm foundation for the security of their future. During these impressionable years, perhaps no other group of men contributes so much to the formation of a useful citizen; for these reasons our years under their influence will always be remembered.



Headmaster and Mrs. J. B. Akin



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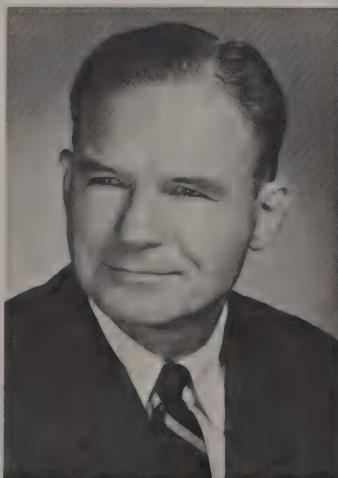
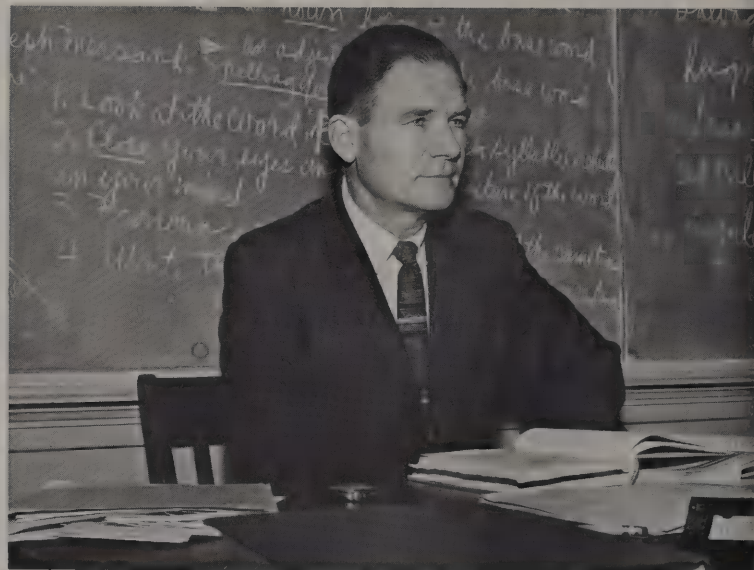
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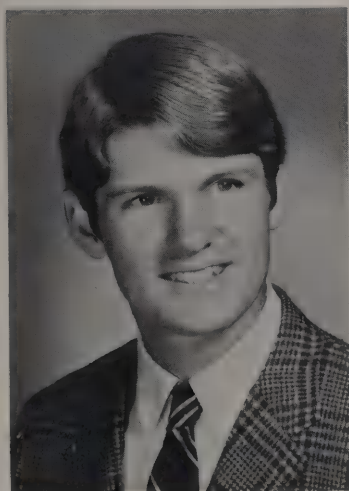
*Best wishes!  
Joseph C. Green*



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*Buena Suerte en  
los años que vienen  
K. Moore*



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*Early B. See you next year.  
Carl W. Smithson*





*Rick,  
 Here's hoping  
 next year will be better  
 for all of us. Winning  
 will be the rule and  
 not the exception -  
 Coach Cherry*

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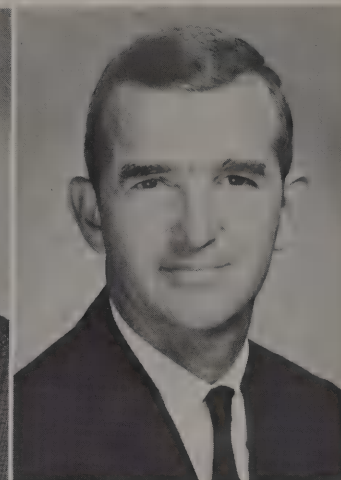
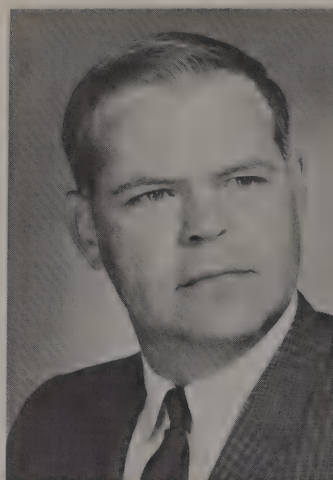
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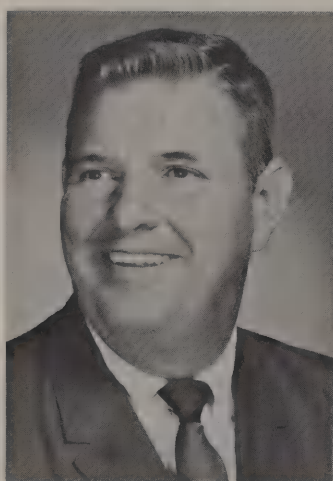


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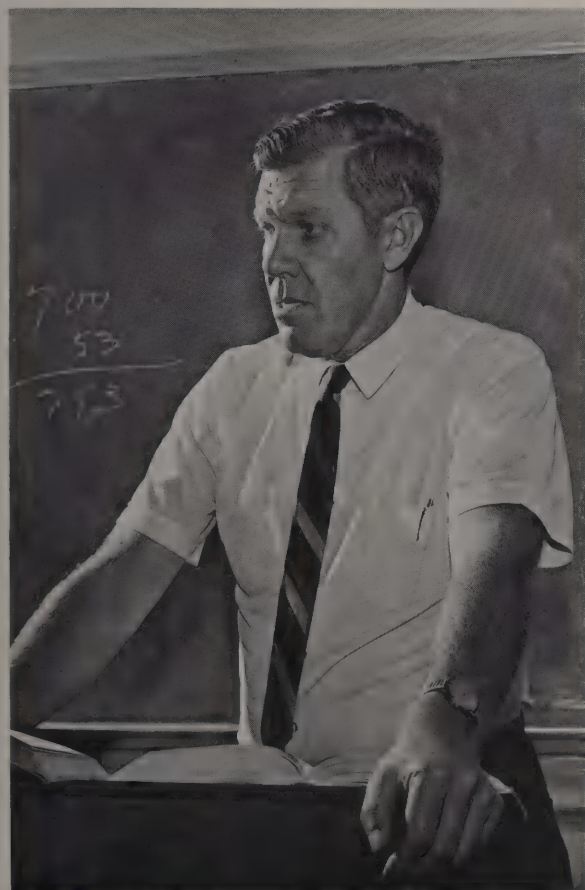


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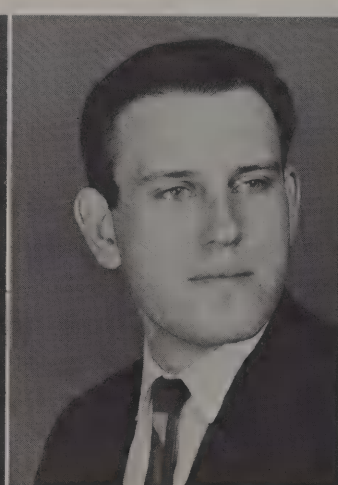
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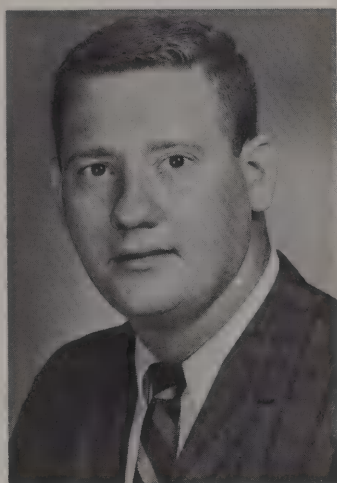


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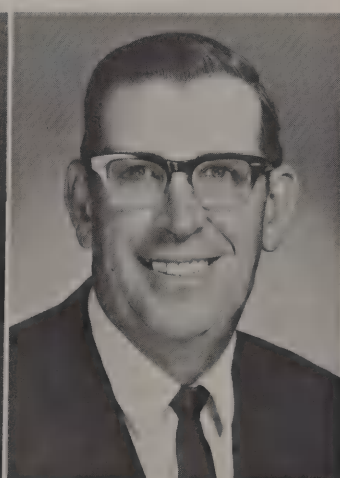
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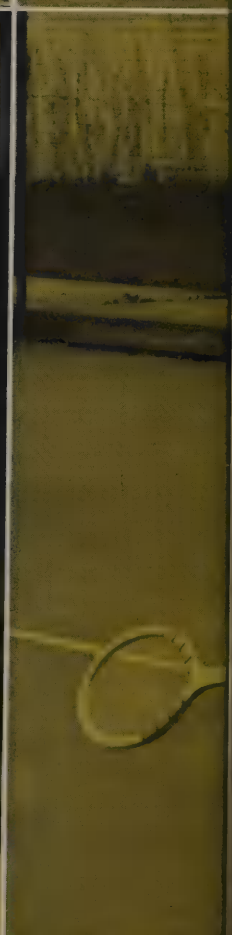
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Left to Right: Mary Johnson, Josie Allen, Delores Coffee, Bill Alexander, Lillie Jasper, Ernest Phelps, Rena Phelps, Brenda Burns, Sally Parrish, Tommie McKissack, Eunice Covington.







*I am Youth  
and I long  
to be athletic*



Not only do I strive for mental perfection but also for physical perfection. My body must be as strong as my mind if I am to meet the trials of everyday life.

Through my endeavors on the athletic fields I have learned dedication, sacrifice, and pride. I hope to carry these virtues with me the rest of my life.



# Varsity Football

Summer ended early for thirty of Battle Ground Academy's athletes; football practice started in the first part of August. We arrived at the gym on that first Monday to be greeted by Coach Franklin; some of us were in shape, but the vast majority of us had neglected the summer conditioning program. No one knew what to expect. Coach Franklin gave us a dramatic talk and laid it on the line: We weren't as good as some of the teams we were to play, we had a tough schedule, but with grit and determination we would go through the season playing with reckless abandon. The fighting spirit of Battle Ground teams was to be tested.

It was hot in August. Inside the football uniforms it must have been a hundred degrees. We were, however, lucky in some respects: fish-net jerseys, limeade breaks, blister breaks, and occasional rests during practice. We learned how to divebomb in the airplane drill, how to go at hundred yard dash speed, how to break down, and how to find the shade trees at the end of the practice field. When we arrived one Sunday, packed and ready to go to camp, we were told that Coach Gentry was to be our new coach and that we were going to learn to play tough football. We were underdogs, but we would surprise some people.



Coaches Cherry, Flatt, and Gentry



Bottom Row, Left to Right: Mgr. Stephens, Harper, Dodson, Williams, Muncy, D. Gentry, Beadle. Second Row: Mgr. Wright, Thompson, Huffman, Minor, Blackburn, Bob Armistead, A. Gentry, Oliver, Allen, Coach Flatt. Third Row:

Mgr. J. Gentry, Bill Armistead, Hoover, Smith, Ross, McGinnis, Greene, Benz, Philpot, Coach Cherry. Fourth Row: Phipps, Lovell, Hudson, Thomason, Duke, Goodman, Hollins.



*The Wildcats take the field.*



Senior Mike Williams  
Halfback

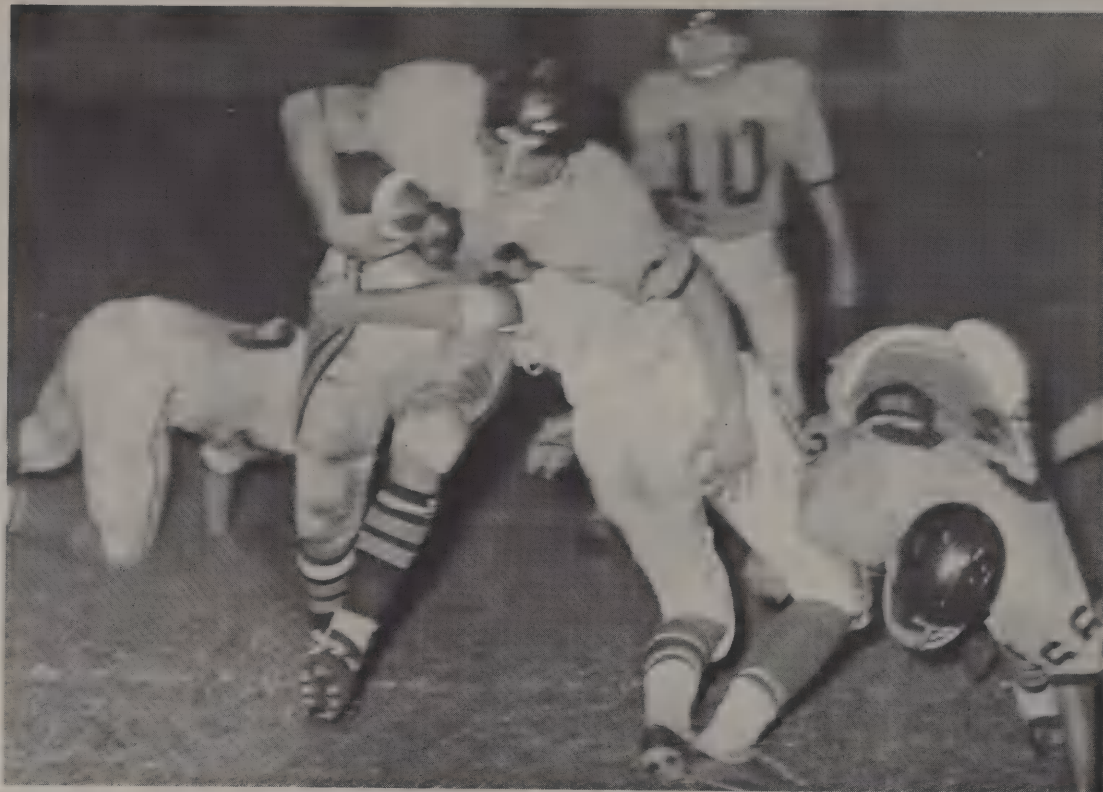
Practices were more spirited as Coach Gentry wanted to make football more fun for us. He instilled confidence in us; the improvement was remarkable. We thought we were ready to play Jackson and anticipated a surprise for the folks who had come to watch us get beat.

We went into the Jackson game with high hopes; if we could upset them, we would be on our way to a good season. We won the toss and got the ball first. After failing to get a first down, we had to punt. We intercepted a pass on their first play, but couldn't capitalize on our break. We fumbled the ball back to them, and later they scored on a long run. They had several long runs and led at the half 34-0. After enduring the first of Coach Gentry's locker room talks, we went out and stiffened, allowing Jackson only one more touchdown in the game. The aroused defense was led by Doug Thompson and Nate Greene.



*Ends Jerry McGinnis and Jeff Hoover stop a Madison back.*





*Fullback Nate Greene breaks through the Lebanon line behind the blocking of Drew Oliver.*



Charley Benz  
End

The Springfield game started out almost as badly; they scored twice early in the first quarter. We bounced back after the Jack-ets' third touchdown in the second quarter and played Springfield to a standstill the rest of the game. Mike Williams and Charlie Benz did well and brought mention from the coaches.

Deshler came to Franklin and we were ready for them. They pulled off some long scoring plays and had some good breaks and jumped out 20-0. Showing our mettle, we drove down the field and scored when Harry Blackburn went over from the three yard line. We held them for most of the game, but our mistakes cost us this 27-7 game.

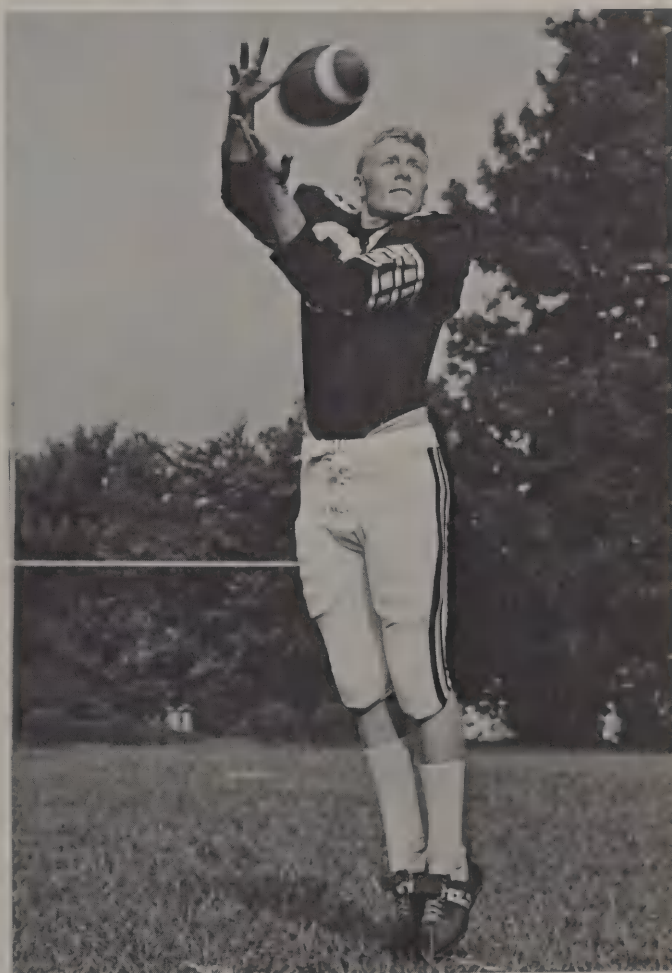
We went up to Clarksville on a cold night to play one of the better teams in the state. Proving their high ranking, Clarksville, on end runs and a strong passing game, beat us by a score of 56-0.

The next game was with Donelson, one of the better teams in Nashville. With two young sophomores, Johnny Phipps and Brad Thomason, in the lineup we gave the Dons a run for their money. An aroused Wildcat defense, after early mistakes, held the vaunted Donelson offense to only two touchdowns. Jerry McGinnis and Jeff Hoover, the ends, contained their wide attack; our secondary, Mike Williams, Harry Blackburn, Nate Greene, and Paul Muncy, covered their receivers. We had trouble launching a sustained drive, but got down close twice and could not score. Coach Gentry told us that close did not count and that we must prepare for our next game.

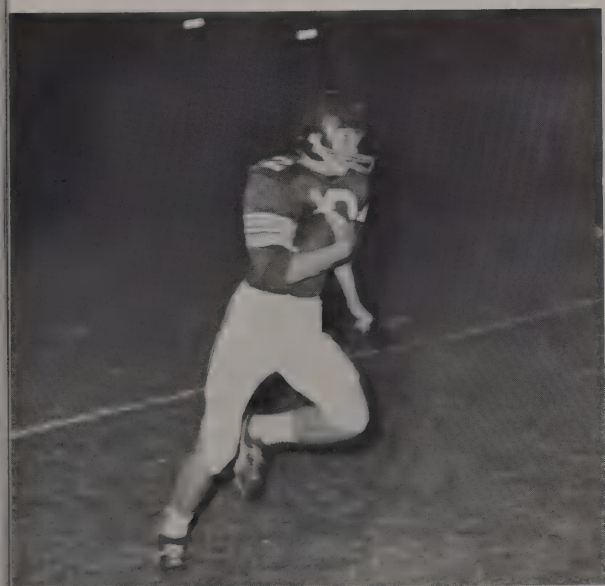
We were up for the Madison game. They were rated as one of the best in their division, but we were determined to spoil their homecoming. Reversing our normal pattern, we played well in the first half, trailing 7-0 at halftime. We had been moving the ball well on the ground and through the air, and our defense was strong. However, Madison had other ideas and came back and won 27-7. The game was much closer than the score indicated and we were disappointed. Nate Greene scored our only touchdown.



*Chris Ross takes scoring pass from Brad Thomason.*



Paul Muncy  
Split End



*Johnny Phipps moves up the field with a kickoff.*





*Josh Huffman holds as Bill Smith attempts an extra point.*

Let down from the week before, we let Murfreesboro trample us 47-0. Chris Dodson and Skip Beadle got to play, being the only bright spots in the game. We pulled our belts tighter and, after a rigorous week of practice, got prepared for Lebanon.

We played Lebanon a good game, falling 34-14. Our pass defense broke down twice for long scores, but the offense finally gelled. Mike Williams got away on a 76 yard run, Nate Greene pounded the line for yardage, and Brad Thomason connected with Paul Muncy on several passes. Charlie Benz, Allen Gentry, and Buddy Allen opened gaping holes in Lebanon's lines. This was one of our best games, but we weren't to be satisfied with less than a win.

We lost to Litton in our next to last game of the season. After playing well the week before, we again relaxed and trailed 27-7 at halftime. After intermission, inspired by the blocking of Buddy Allen and Drew Oliver, we struck quickly at the Lions and cut the gap to 27-21 to get back in the game. However, a fleet Litton back returned the ensuing kickoff for a touchdown and let the wind from our sails. Philpot, Greene, and Williams ran well for the Wildcats, but our defense let us down.



*Behind good protection, Brad Thomason fires a pass against Donelson.*



Buddy Allen  
Center

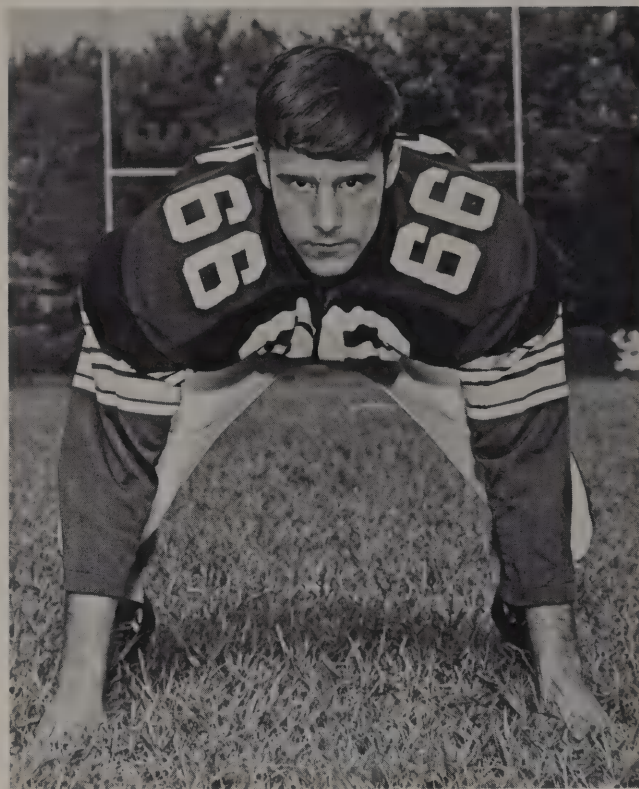
Harry Blackburn  
Quarterback

Hillsboro—our last chance. It was a beautiful day till just before kickoff when a steady downpour turned the field into a swamp. Hillsboro scored on a quick pass and held on desperately as we tried to come back. Although we played our most inspired game, we could not overcome both the Burros and the mud and were defeated again 6-0.





*Mike Williams moves against Jackson.*



Drew Oliver  
Guard

*Coach Gentry gives another heartwarming halftime talk.*





*Harry Blackburn makes initial contact with a Clarksville back as the rest of the Wildcat defense comes to help.*

## 1968 Record

Jackson .....	0-40
Springfield .....	0-20
Deshler .....	7-27
Clarksville .....	0-56
Donelson .....	0-13
Madison .....	7-27
Murfreesboro .....	0-47
Lebanon .....	14-34
Litton .....	21-40
Hillsboro .....	0-6



Doug Thompson  
Linebacker





*Battle Ground defense stops Hillsboro back short of a first down.*

Although we of the 1968 Battle Ground Wildcats cannot point to our record with pride, the year was not without merit. We did not win on the scoreboard, but most of the time we could leave the field with the satisfaction of having played as well as we could. We came back every week for each game and learned the meaning of sacrifice, dedication, and pride.



*Paul Muncy takes in a pass from Thomason against Lebanon.*

Great picture. 1968, our 10th year of we grown to appreciate and enjoy. I love this friendship,  
and that it's my nephew and I'd be good for 11 years for Carroll and Coach. 1968.

Charlie, Ben, Chuck







*Bottom Row, Left to Right: Haffner, McMillin, Shannon. Kestner, Lovell, Mayer, Boyd, Dunavant, Sparkman. Second Row: Coach Smithson, Mgr. Wall, Lykins, Lynch, McDaniel,*

*Armistead, Morrison, Warfield, Berry, Harper, Mgr. Allen. Third Row: Givens, Snodgrass, Miner, Earls, Funte, Jones, Wallace, Duke.*

## B-Team

The primary purpose of any B-team is to train prospective players for future varsity teams and to teach the younger boys the fundamentals of the game. Not failing in this objective, the 1968 Battle Ground B-team has given several promising football players a chance to prove themselves to the coaches. Although not compiling a winning record, the fine coaching job by Mr. Smithson and Mr. Kennedy was evident by the marked improvement throughout the season.

The defense sparkled, emerging as the most outstanding part of the Junior Wildcats. Led by Meredith Shannon, Ralph Duke, and Tom Miner, the headhunting unit specialized in wrecking the offense of the opposition. Hampered by injuries to the quarterbacks, the B.G.A. offense could not seem to generate sustained drives.

Nonetheless, Gene Lovell and John Harper along with Ham Wallace and Turner Snodgrass distinguished themselves in the backfield. These and other boys may be making valuable contributions to the varsity next year.



*Willie Earls goes high to take in a pass against M.B.A.*

## Freshman Team



*Bottom Row, Left to Right:* McLaughlin, Dale, Harlin, McMillen, Lawrence, Pewitt, Brown, Chaffin, McGinnis. *Second Row:* Mgr. Mott, Cowan, Vining, Mitchell, Knox, Talton, Hinkle, Bentley, Denbo, Obucina, Sutton, Mgr. Berry. *Third Row:* Doak, Kinnard, Harrison,

Gore, Duncan, Davis, Cunningham, Ross, Jackson, Weiland, Jeter, Anderson, Swann. *Fourth Row:* Cameron, McKay, Simonton, Rader, Duke, Steele, Smith, Asger, Whiteman, Moench, Thomspen.

## Sub-Freshman Team



*Bottom Row, Left to Right:* Scruggs, Herndon, Little, Frank, Moran, C. Little, Ritter, Akers, Lightfoot, Holden, Ogilvie, Price, D. Smithson, Story. *Second Row:* Mgr. Voorhees, Coach Parsons, Leland, Follin, Cook,

Lee, Shillinglaw, Cameron, P. Alexander, Jenkins, H. Alexander, T. Smithson, Pewitt, Coach Lee. *Third Row:* Thomas, Katzoff, Robinson, Gentry, Mullican, Pewitt, McKinnon, Cowan, Green, Carey.



# Varsity Basketball

Preparations for the 1968-69 basketball season were begun immediately following the end of last year's season. Coach Smith planned a full summer workout schedule for varsity aspirants. Each Monday night during the summer the team assembled at the gym for a practice session, which, on account of the heat, was concluded by a ten minute dip in the pool. These practices were much fun for the team, but more important, they helped draw the team closer together. Both Coach Smith and the team were determined to make this season a more successful one than last.

When school began, the players who did not play football participated in the cross country program, which aided greatly in conditioning the boys. The first couple of weeks of practice did not now need to be wasted with running drills and calisthenics. Although more boys than ever turned out for the opening try-outs, each boy was given an ample opportunity to catch the watchful eyes of Coaches Smith and Gentry. As the number of players dwindled, daily scrimmage games went on, some intra-squad and some against Nashville teams. All in all, the team was better prepared than in recent years for the beginning of the season. Experience was abundant, but size was lacking. Practically every team which B.G.A. played had at least as big, and more often bigger players.

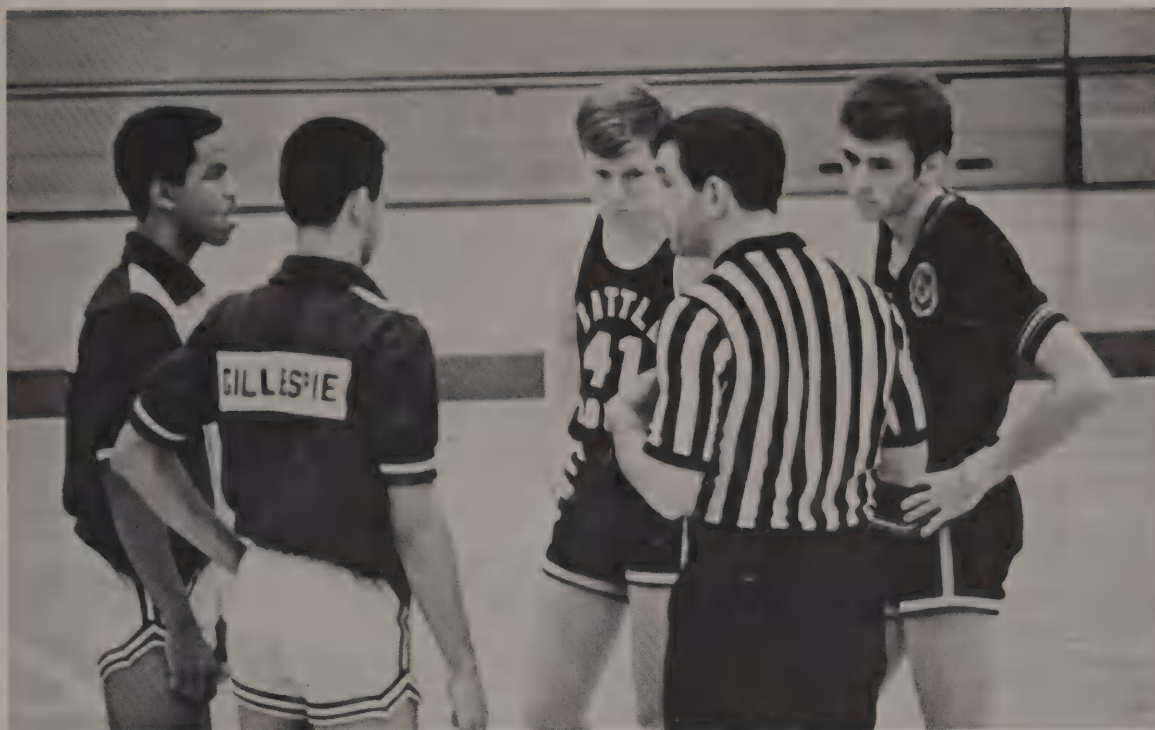


Coach Smith

*Kneeling, Left to Right:* Coach Smith, Mgrs. Howser, Stephens, Gray.

*Standing:* Moran, Bennett, Harwell, Greene, Powers, Smith, Hoover, Harper, Witherspoon, Ashcraft, Francis.





*Captains Francis and Ashcraft meet with opposing captains.*

*Tommy Ashcraft tips the ball to a teammate.*



On the night of November 22, 1968, the season began as Summertown invaded George I. Briggs Athletic Center. B.G.A. beat the Eagles by seven points, but the players showed first game jitters, missing several easy shots and committing several floor mistakes. After this opening performance, the Wildcats hosted strong Ryan. The week long Thanksgiving break showed its effects as this erratically played game went down on the loss column. Hillsboro Williamson County was next on the agenda, and the Cats registered a rather lopsided 80-25 win. Truman Harper, Bill Smith, Jeff Hoover, Houston Moran, and Tommy Harwell held the Indians scoreless throughout the third quarter. The easy victory perhaps made the team a bit too complacent as they met a powerful Perry County team the next night at Linden. The great height advantage of the opposing players proved to be too much for the Wildcats who fell, 88-55. Howard and M.B.A. were next on the schedule, and the Wildcats lost both of these hardly fought contests. Hoping to improve by the Christmas break, the team worked hard and gave much better performances at home against Hume Fogg and at Peabody. Alternate Captain Tommy Ashcraft played one of his better games against Hume Fogg and Captain Rick Francis did well against Peabody. As in last year's M.T.I.T. at Franklin, B.G.A. had to face Lebanon, ranked seventh in the state. Again, the out-sized Cats could not stay with the opposition on the boards. However, except for the third quarter, the game was a close one even though B.G.A. lost.









*Jeff Hoover tips one in against M.B.A.*

The M.B.A. Big Red next visited Briggs Athletic Center, and the Wildcats were determined not to give a repeat performance of their earlier loss. B.G.A. lost a nine point lead in the fourth quarter, and the game went into overtime. However the terrific outside shooting of the M.B.A. guards proved to be too much for the Cats as B.G.A. snatched defeat from the jaws of victory. Some teams would have been disheartened by this run of bad luck, but the Wildcats came back. Battling number five Clarksville in their own gym to a 50-45 decision was probably the high point of the season. Being a 37 point underdog and losing by only five is quite an accomplishment. Hotshooting Murfreesboro rattled the Wildcat defense in a Tuesday night away game. The outstanding student support could not stop a 64% field goal percentage by the Tigers. Lipscomb was next in another away game. Tim Powers was magnificent in defeat, scoring nineteen points and pulling down many rebounds.



*Bill Smith stretches for two.*

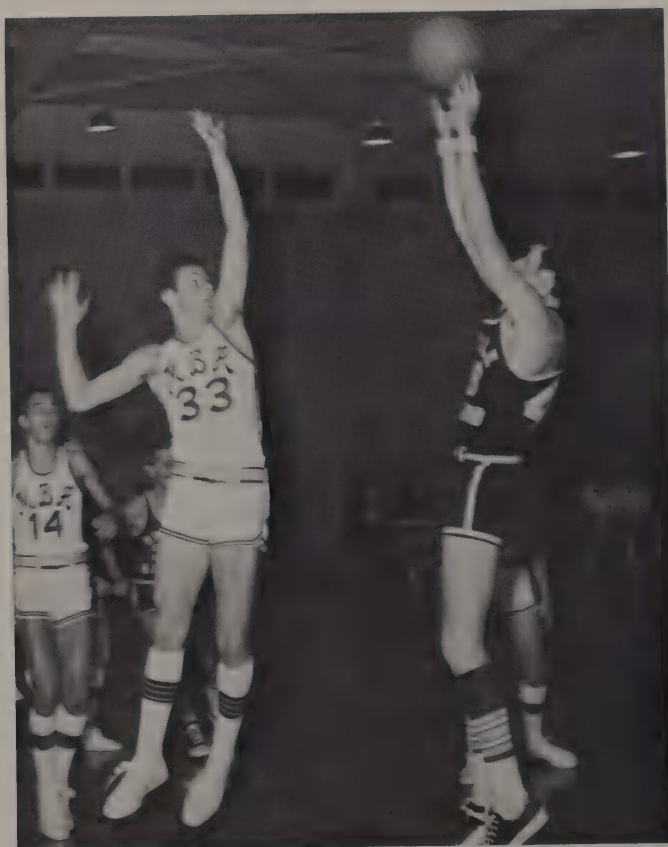




*Coach Smith regroups his forces during a timeout.*

In an attempt to better their record in the last regular season game of the year, the Blue and Gold hosted Howard, who had dealt the Cats a stinging defeat earlier in the season. For seniors Rick Francis, Tommy Ashcraft, Truman Harper, Tim Powers, and Jim Witherspoon, this game would be their last in the B.G.A. gym. These seniors built up a lead, lost it, but ran it out to nine points before the game was over. It was great to end the season on a winning note and a good way for the boys to get ready for the upcoming district tournament.

The opening game of the tournament was against Bethesda. Sporting the number eight scorer in the state, the Bethesda team was gunning for an upset. A huge crowd of students attended the game at the Franklin gym and gave much needed vocal support. The Cats built up a sizeable lead in the first half, but could muster no offense in the second, and Bethesda came back to within one point with five minutes to go. But, similar to the Howard game, the Wildcats pulled out to a seven point lead at the end of the game.

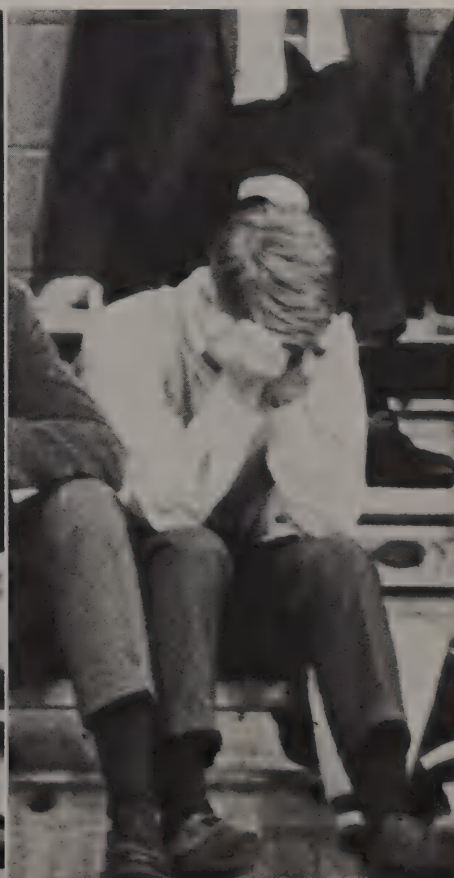
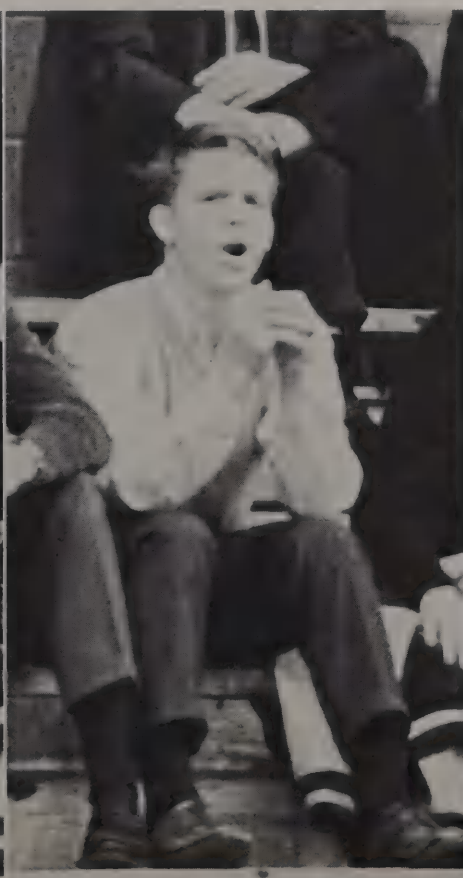
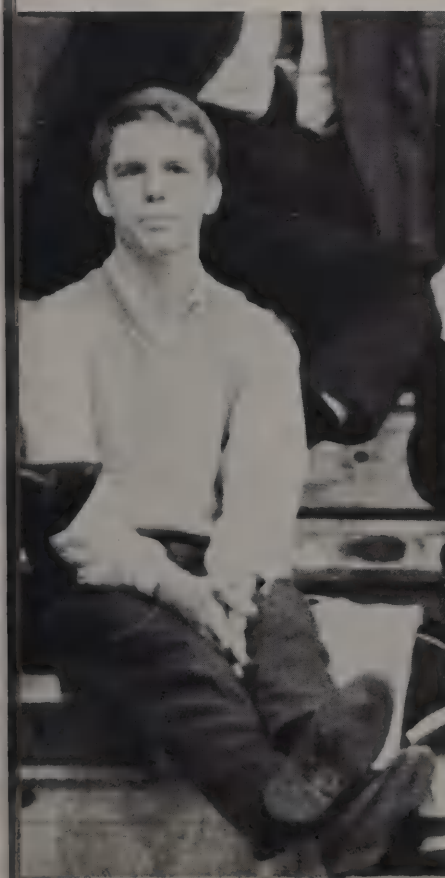
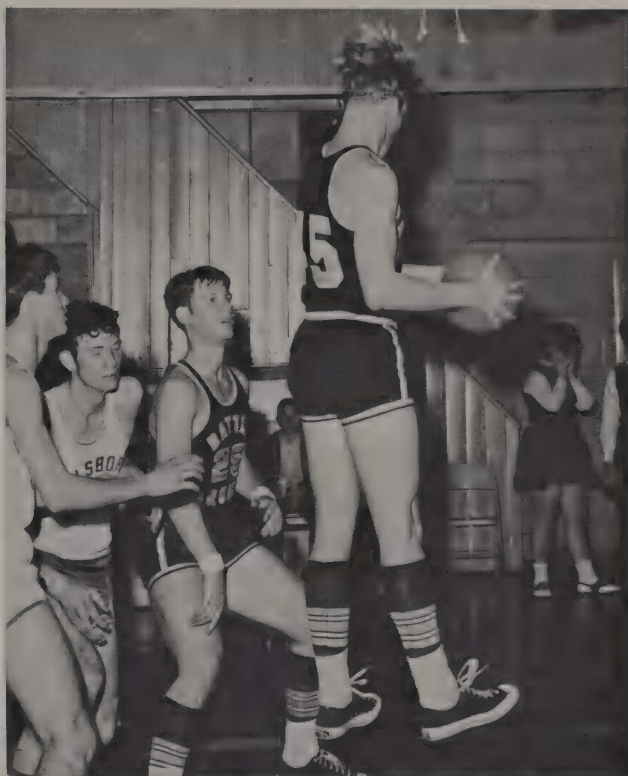


*Forward Tommy Ashcraft puts in two more.*



*Francis goes high for a layup against Summertown.*

*Hoover comes down with a rebound.*







*Houston Moran drives for a layup on M.U.S.*

Forced to play tournament favorite Columbia the following Saturday, the team gave its all in preparation. At game time, it seemed that the whole city of Columbia had come to see the game. Possessing a three inch height advantage per man, the Lions began by grabbing every rebound in sight. A second quarter surge brought the Wildcats to within seven points at halftime. However, the third quarter was fatal for the Wildcats as Columbia pulled away. Jim Witherpoon and Tim Powers ended their careers with eighteen and eleven points respectively, Tim had as many rebounds.

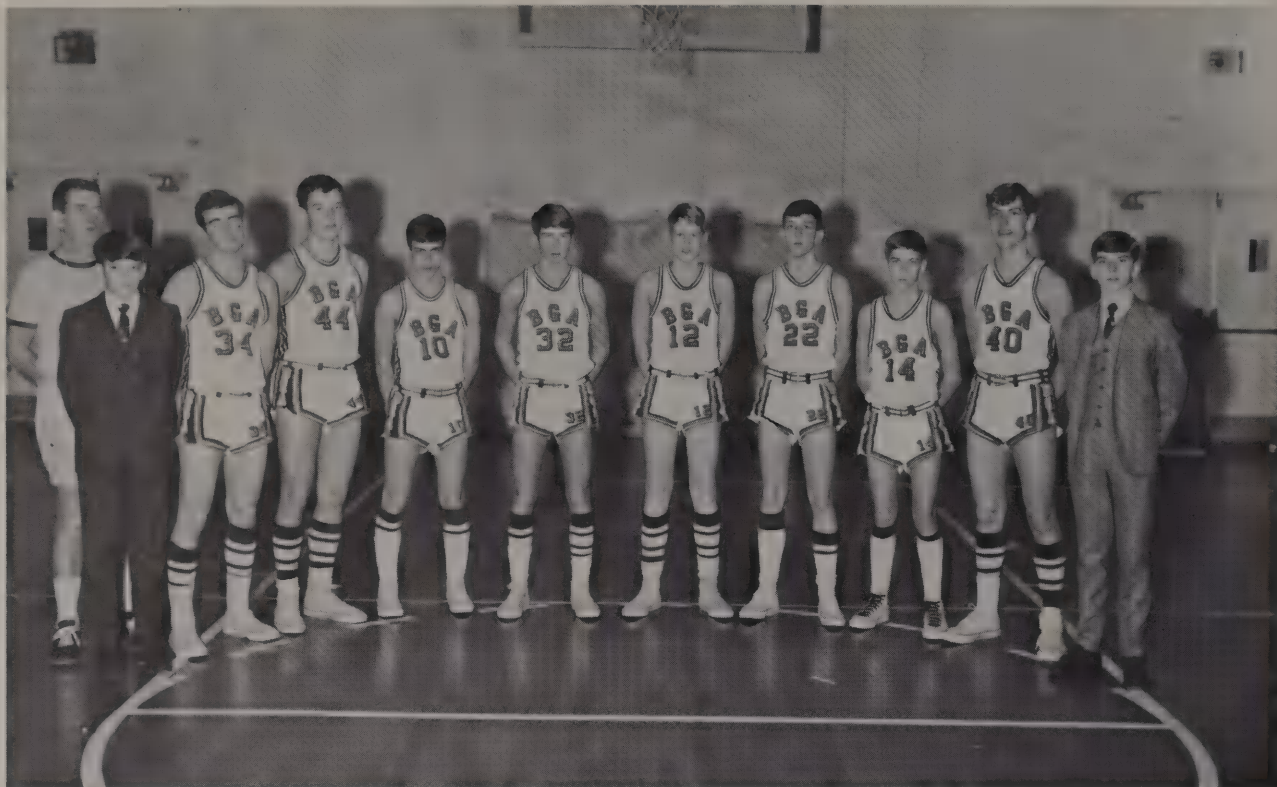
As the crowd filed slowly out of the gym above, the Wildcats retired to their dressing room after their last game. The team had known both victory and defeat during the season and could point with pride to their efforts in most games. For the seniors there was small consolation in the record, some consolation in individual achievements; for the others there was next year and there was spring football, which started Monday.



*Tim Powers shoots for two against Hillsboro.*







Coach Gentry, Mgr. Allen, Armistead, McDaniel, Thomason, Witherspoon, Cook, Grigsby, Hume, Anderson, Mgr. Wall



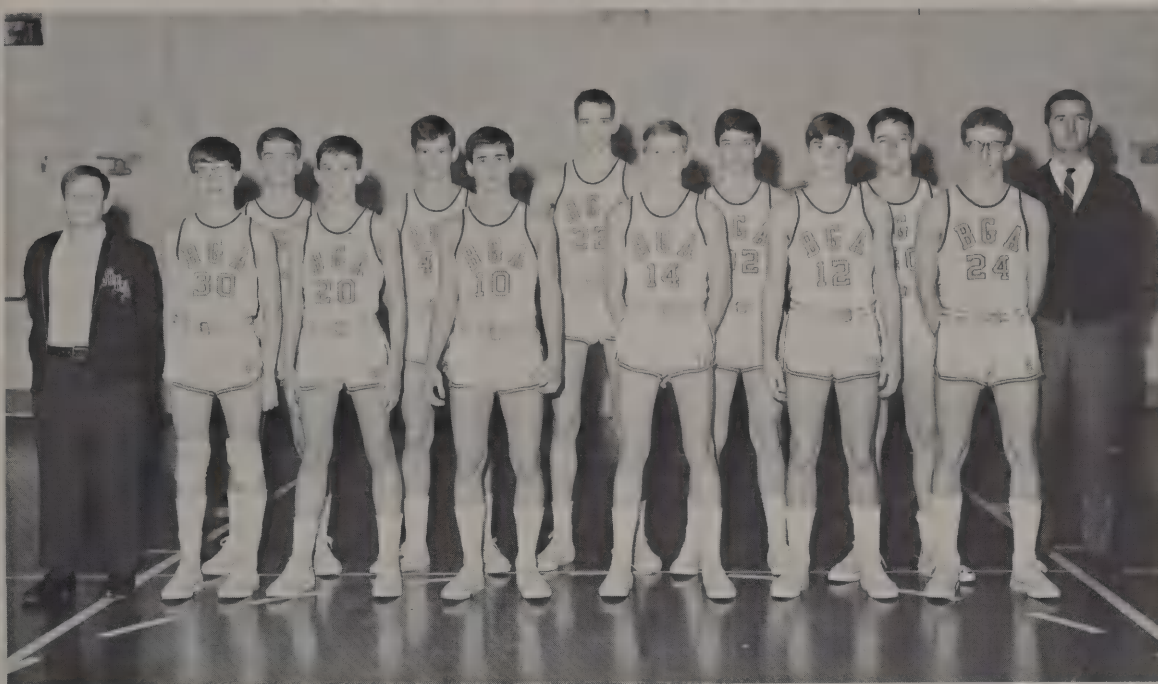
Bob Armistead goes high for a layup against Howard.

## *B-Team*

The 1968-69 B-team basketball squad, coached by Bobby Gentry, amassed a 10-10 record. The team was composed entirely of sophomores with the exception of Chuck Cook, a junior, and should provide the varsity with several fine athletes.

The Wildcats played their first game after less than a week's practice and showed steady improvement throughout the year. They provided the fans with plenty of excitement, winning two games in a row by two points. They beat M.B.A. on a tip-in by Bob Armistead, and they beat Hume-Fogg on a last second shot by Bill Smith. The B-team was led by Bob Armistead, Brad Thomason, and Billy Anderson who had high games of 24 points, 15 points, and 20 points respectively. Battle Ground Academy should be proud of these boys for the fine job they did; they will make the future much brighter for the basketball teams of B.G.A.

## Freshman Team



*Left to Right:* Mgr. Brown, Dale, Doak, Grigsby, Boyd, Ilen, Coach Akin.  
Harrison, Billington, Jeter, Steele, Gore, Smith, McMil-

## Sub-Freshman Team



*Kneeling, Left to Right:* Green, Smithson, Shillinglaw, Voorhees, Smith, H. Alexander, Gentry, Farrar, Mulli-  
Little, Bass, Grissim, Frank, Ritter. *Standing:* Mgr. can, P. Alexander, Lee, Cameron, Coach Parsons.



# Wrestling

Wrestling season arrived right on the heels of football season; it was dreaded by some, eagerly anticipated by others. Many of last year's wrestlers returned to attempt to give BGA a winning season for the team and to try to win individual honors in the tournament matches. Drew Oliver, David Gardner, Sterling Minor, Gene Lovell, Johnny Lucas, Barry Goodman, Bill Fisher and Rob Anderson returned to help newcomers Donny Cameron, Hanes Sparkman, Alan Duke, Mike Isaacson, and Charlie Warfield. Everyone wanted a winning season and was prepared to sacrifice to have one. The more experienced wrestlers gave the new boys instruction and moral support when they needed it, and an attitude of team spirit was cultivated. The team worked hard and, led by Captain David Gardner, were ready to "leave their guts on the mat" for Coach Gentry.

The first match was with Overton and, although the team had had little time to prepare, BGA won handily by a large margin. As the season progressed the competition got tougher, but so did the Wildcat wrestlers, and they did well against some of the best Nashville teams.

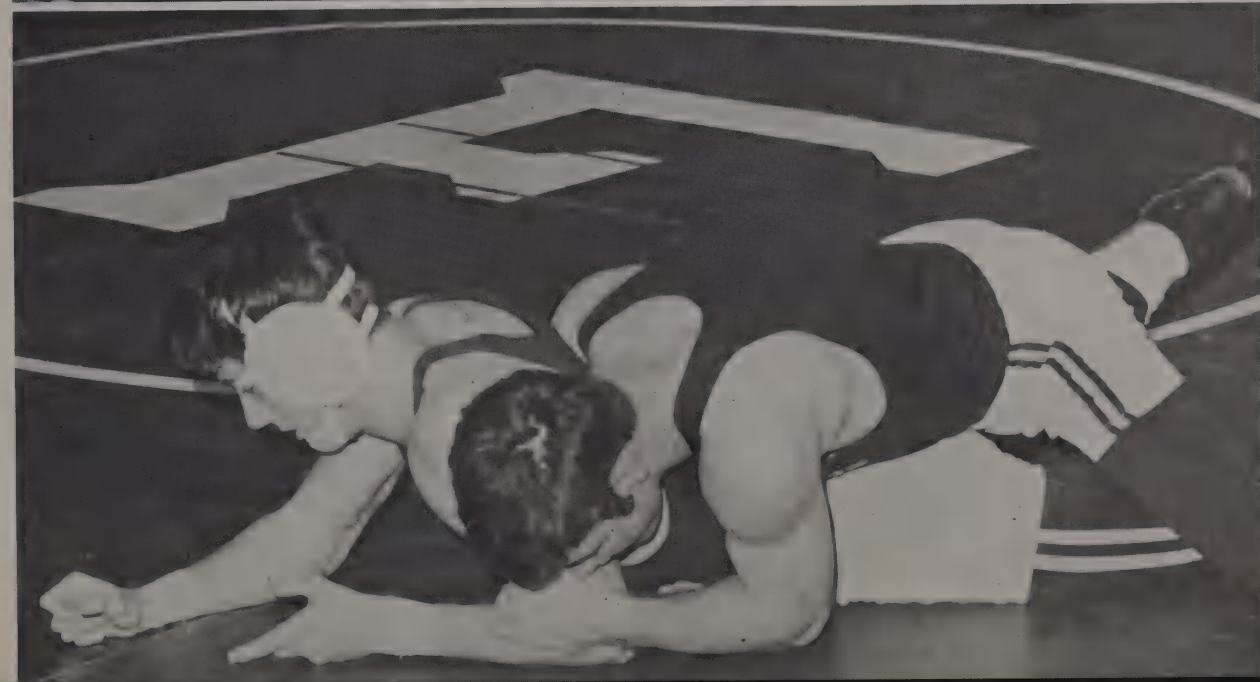
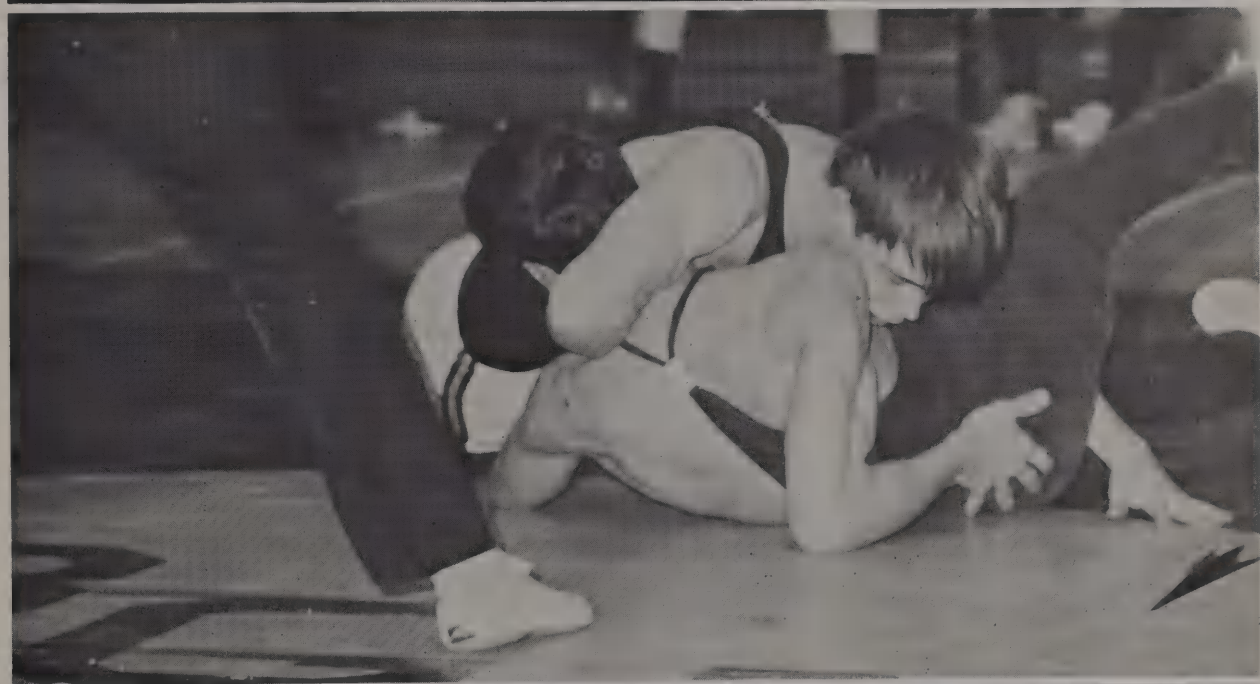
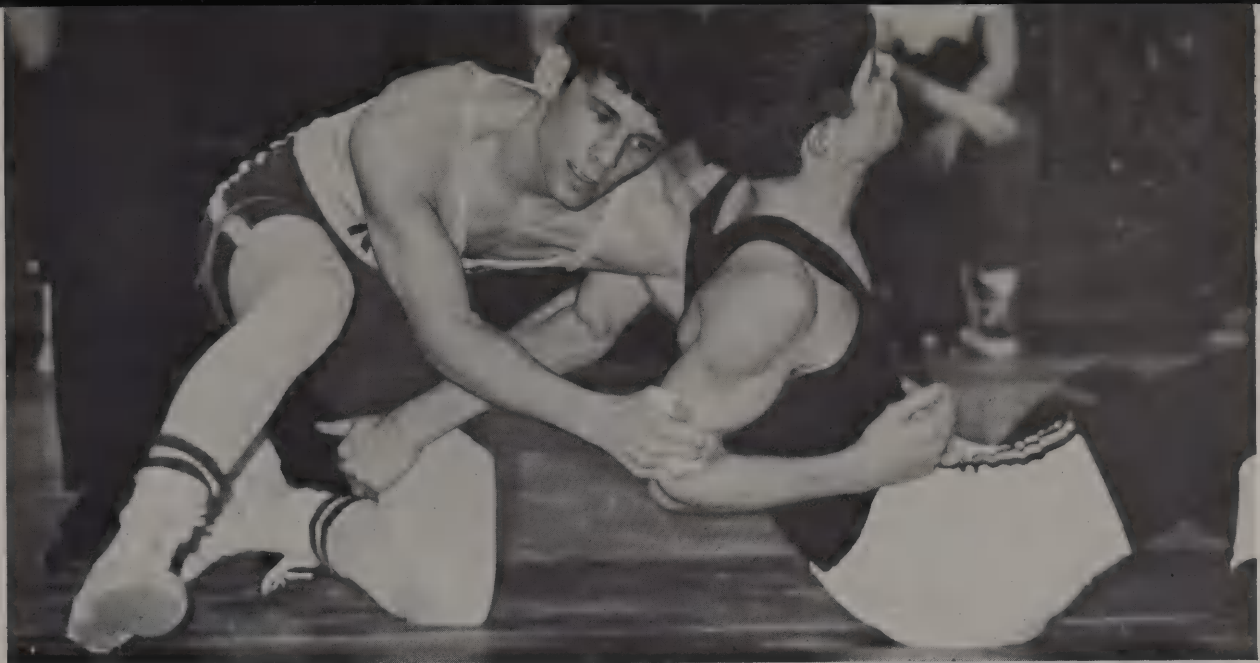
Near the middle of the season, the N.I.L. tournament was held at Glenclyff High School, and BGA was well represented. Although Gene Lovell was the only wrestler to place in the finals, the team fared well as several first round victories were won by the Wildcats. After Christmas, the team received new uniforms and morale seemed to pick up in anticipation of the last half of the season. The boys worked hard and showed steady improvement; Gardner, Minor, and Lovell were consistent winners.

Then, the highlight of the entire year was at hand. The Regional Tournament is the goal to which all the wrestlers had been striving, so that they might make a good showing, for themselves as well as the team. In order to get ready for the tournament, extra time was spent in practice: more exercises, more wrestling match practice, and the grueling five minutes of solid running around the swimming pool. The boys deemed the extra effort to be justified, because everyone wanted to be prepared for their last big match.



Bottom Row, Left to Right: Fisher, C. Haffner, Sparkman, Cameron, Lovell, Goodman, Duke. Second Row: Mgr. Boyd,

Warfield, Anderson, B. Haffner, Oliver, Minor, Gardner, Isaacson, Mgr. Dryden, Coach Gentry.







*Drew Oliver tries for a switch on Father Ryan.*



*Hanes Sparkman works for a pin against Hillwood*

*David Gardner squares off against an opponent from Hillsboro.*





*Sterling Minor tries to reverse a disadvantage.*

Only a few of BGA's entries were eliminated in the first round; most made it at least as far as the quarter finals. However, because of the strong showing of some of the Nashville teams, only David Gardner was able to qualify for the state meet in Chattanooga after finishing third in his weight group in the region. David, one of the bright spots on this year's team, drew one of the best wrestlers in the state and was eliminated in his first match, ending the wrestling season at BGA. Prospects for next year are favorable, with Lovell, Minor, Goodman, and Cameron returning to pace next year's team.

Wrestling is a hard and demanding sport, requiring physical and mental discipline on the part of its participants; although each man is part of a team, he is alone when he goes to wrestle his match. This year's team put forth every ounce of effort possible and earned a 6-6 won-lost record; they proved worthy of all the praise they have received and were excellent representatives of Battle Ground.



*Barry Goodman goes for an opening against Hillwood.*



## Freshman Team



Bottom Row, Left to Right: Lawrence, Rader, Moench, Duke, Buntin, Cowan, Coach Kuhlman. Second Row: Smith, McLaughlin, Pewitt, Weiland, Thomas, Harlin, McGinnis,

Mitchell, Chaffin, Reid. Third Row: Miller, Berry, Duncan, Kinnard, Thompson, Anderson, Swann.

## Sub-Freshman Team



Bottom Row, Left to Right: Jere Pewitt, Katzoff, G. Bubis, Ogilvie, L. Bubis, Ellis, Jim Pewitt. Second Row: Coach

Moore, Smithson, Green, Jenkins, Follin, Nichol, Primm, Story.



Bottom Row, Left to Right: Talton, Rogers, Leland, Wauford. Second Row: Porch, Hinkle, McClanahan, Moench. Third Row: Coach Rey-

nolds, Lawrie, Powell, Tichenor, Faust, Scantlebury.

## Swimming

For the 1968-69 BGA swimming team, what was labeled a rebuilding year at the beginning of the season became a winning year before the end of it. With only three regulars from the senior high; Mark Scantlebury, Steve Faust, and Bill Tichenor, and a wealth of upcoming freshmen and eighth graders, this year's team proved itself to be the best BGA has had yet, chalking up six victories against three losses. This fine record was accomplished by defeating C.M.A. twice, S.M.A. twice, Ashville School once, and Baylor once. The tremendous improvement over last year's season was graphically demonstrated by the fact that the school record in every event was broken; with faster times, the boys found themselves placing higher in all the meets. Leading the way this year in individual scoring was Sam Wauford, followed closely by Steve Faust, Pierre Rogers, Bill Tichenor, and Bryce Hickey.









*Coach Reynolds shows classic racing dive form as the swimming team stands by indifferently.*

The team worked hard. Every day after school they headed toward the pool for their workout. Often it would hurt a little, but each member felt the long hours and muscle cramps were a small price to pay for victory. When practice was over everyone sprinted the last lap because they knew it was the end of practice; then came the pool deck so cold it numbed one's feet and the towel that did not quite cover enough. Most did not mind the long cold run to the locker room though, for there was always a hot shower and the warm heater waiting.

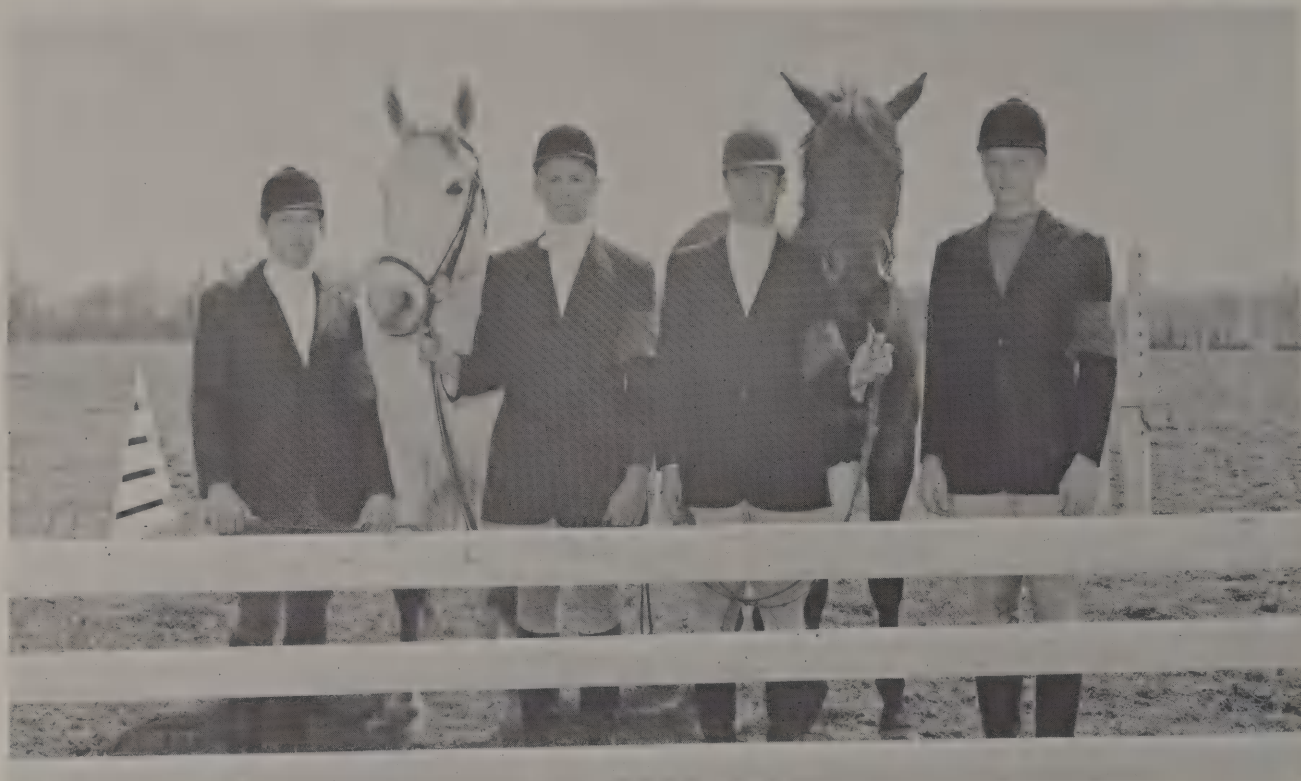
The meets were big events. No one was really nervous until Coach Reynolds gave his pep talk in the Phys Ed room. Somehow, then each boy realized that he had to win. Each tried hard to psyche himself up, but also tried to give his teammates encouragement. When his own event was called, the swimmer was alone on the blocks waiting for the gun that would release his tenseness and send him on his way; the gun fired and the swimmer dove into the water, straining every muscle in his surge for victory; the last lap and the swimmer drove hard for the wall that would mean the finish; the wall came, and, for BGA another victory.



*Bryce Hickey, Battle Ground's top diver, executes a back dive.*



# Riding



*Left to Right: Tommy Magli, John Ingold, Tommy McLaughlin, Bootie Berry.*



**Captain Tommy McLaughlin**

It will be a surprise to many of the students to find out that B.G.A. has a horseback riding team. However, not only does B.G.A. have a riding team but it has a good one, as is attested by the gold trophy in Mr. Akin's office. Sponsored by Mrs. John Ingold, the four boys on the riding team participate in inter-school riding tournaments, competing against such teams as Harpeth Hall, Hillsboro, Two Rivers, and Peabody. In each tournament the teams compete in four areas: horsemanship, cross country, stadium jumping, and a team game. The team with the most points after all the events have been held is the winner and carries home the trophy. Much credit is due to Tommy McLaughlin, Tommy Magli, John Ingold, and Bootie Berry for their devotion in representing Battle Ground on horseback; but there is also, for the riding team, the envy of the students for anyone who is lucky enough to participate in anything against Harpeth Hall.







*Back Row, Left to Right:* Coach Hassey, MacDonald, Beard, Binkley, Coomer, Smithson, Weiland, Cowan, Witherspoon, Nordyke, Coach Flatt. *Second Row:* Peercy, McMillen,

Harruson, Williams, Lee, Doak, Moran, Isaacson. *Front Row:* Hollins, Bratton, Minor, Powell, Hoover, MacDaniel, Blackburn, Armistead.

The track team began practice in early February under the direction of Mr. Danny Allen. There were many who could not start practice then because of basketball and spring football; and real practice with the whole team did not start until April 2, with Mr. Allen, Mr. Flatt, and Mr. Hassey running the boys till their tongues were hanging out. Practices seemed long, but the team knew they were really getting into shape.

Warmup for practice was always a mile or two, and then came the 220's, 440's, or 880's. The real inspiration of the team was John Lee who could run and run and run after everyone else had already stopped. Harry Blackburn could always be seen carrying around his "little" shot put, which he clung to as if it were made of gold. Then there were Mike Williams, Sterling Minor, Bill Armistead, Jim Harrison, Sammy Hollins, Jeff Hoover, Jack Witherspoon, and Gordon McDaniel working on hand-offs for the relay teams. John Lee, Monty Powell, Gerard McDonald, Randy Bratton, and others were the distance runners and were dedicated in their endeavors.

One of the highlights of practice was going by the kitchen and smelling the evening meal being prepared. This pleasure was particularly enjoyable because most members of the track had eaten sparingly at lunch in anticipation of the day's track practice.

## Track

Coach Hassey, Captain John Lee, Coach Flatt.





*Jeff Hoover carries the baton for the mile relay team.*

When it rained, it was always fun to run to the Confederate Cemetery, at which time one could see spring in all its beauty. The people driving by in cars would all stop, look, and point at the team while they were running on the road.

The track season only lasted five weeks but seemed to most boys like two or three months. The work was hard and many felt sorry for themselves and envious of other athletes who participated in what seemed easier sports. There were many out for track for the fun, many for the exercise, and many because they were required to if they wanted to play football next fall.

The veterans of the team, Lee, Williams, Armistead, Minor, and Blackburn knew that these were the roughest track practices they had ever been through, but their legs also told them that they had never been in better shape and were probably having the most fruitful track season of their high school days. The track team was grateful to the coaches (some times more than others) who seemed hard but were only thinking of the boys.

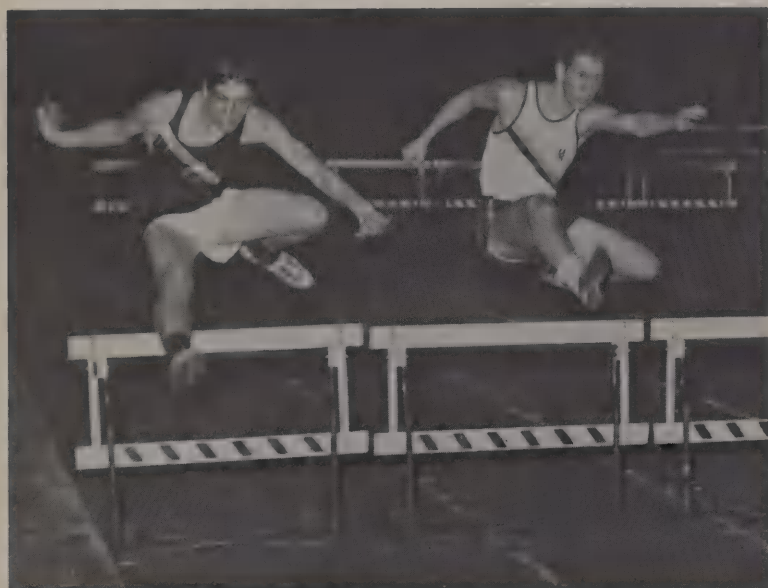


*Williams and Minor make an exchange.*





Shot Putter Harry Blackburn



*Williams takes the hurdles.*



*Hollins passes baton to Armistead.*

# Cross Country



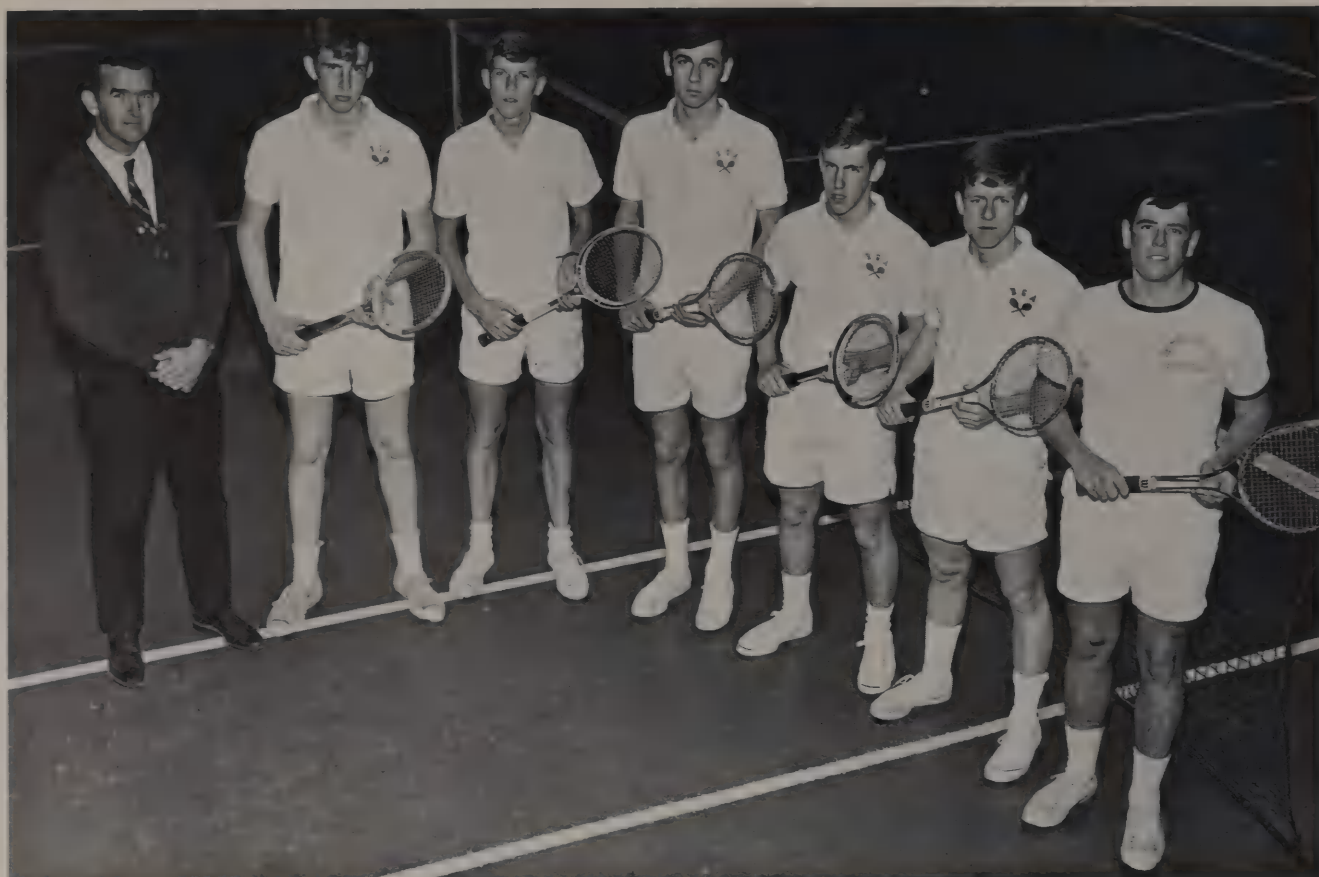
Left to Right: Coach Allen, Bennett, Lucas, McLaughlin, Powell, Faust, Bratton, Lee, Simpson.

At Battle Ground, the sport of cross country has had an intermittent history. After two years' absence from the athletic program, cross country, under the direction of Coach Danny Allen, again represented BGA in athletic contests. Not a widely known sport, cross country demands strength and stamina from its participants, who deserve more credit than they receive; a meet is a test of endurance, the participants running a two mile course through a field or open area. Local meets

were held at Willow Plunge; and, although they didn't fare too well as a team, BGA had several outstanding individual performances of which to be proud. The 1968 harriers compiled a 5 and 5 record and were led by Rick Bennett, Steve Faust, and Captain John Lee. Although often considered only a conditioning program for basketball players, cross country is an important facet of Battle Ground's athletic program.







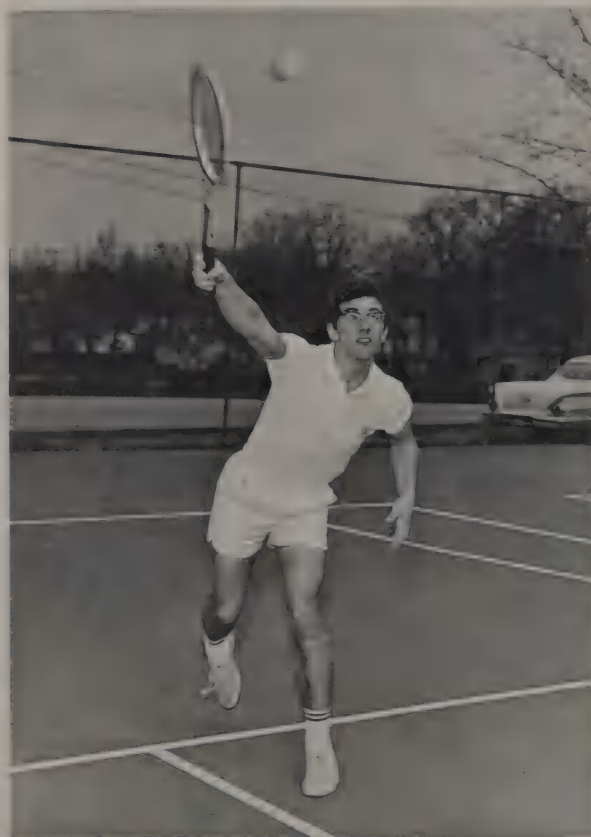
*Left to Right: Coach Akin, Berry, Earls, Lewis, Hollins, Francis, Horn.*

## *Tennis*

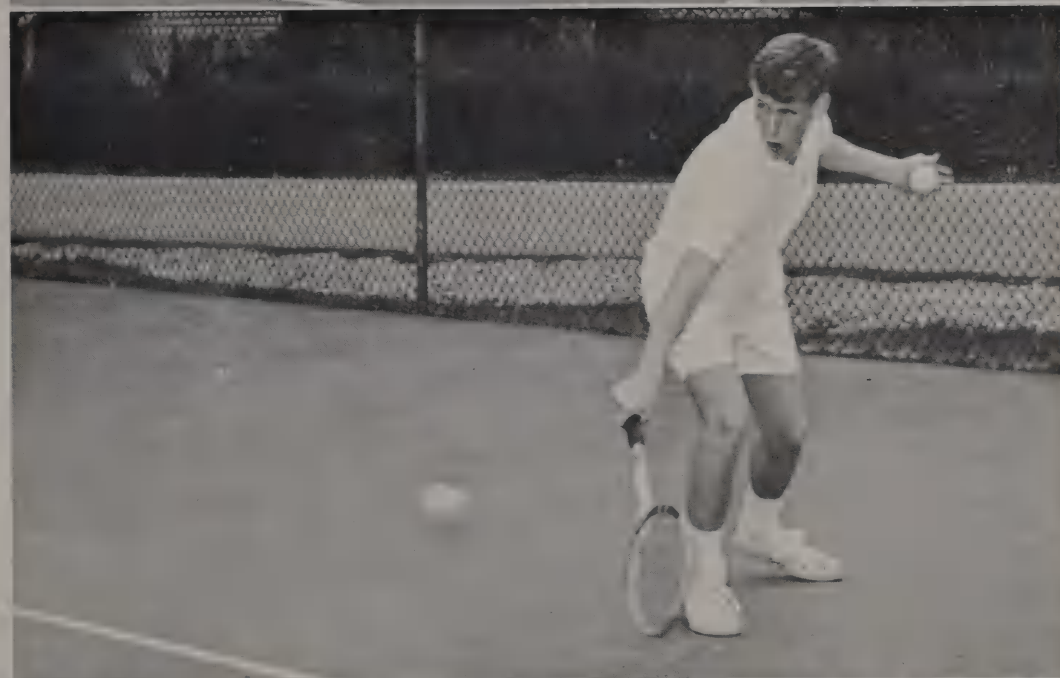
This year's tennis team featured both strength and experience. All eight lettermen returned from last year's team which compiled an 11-2 record. Although the schedule this year was a little tougher, even a better record was expected. There seemed little reason to doubt that the 1969 tennis team would be a top contender for regional and state honors.

Matches were held with the players ranked from one to six with their counterparts from the opposing team. While rank was not permanent, it remained fairly constant throughout the season. The number one man this year was junior Teddy Lee. Hopes were high that he could improve his performance of last year; fourth place in the region and a good showing in the state tournament.

Mr. Bunny Akin served in his first year as coach, instituting many changes. He constantly showed an interest in building a winning team and worked hard toward this end. It was a combination of his coaching and the consistent playing of the team members which brought about a successful campaign.



*Teddy Lee shows winning form.*







*Josh Huffman blasts from trap.*

## *Golf*

From the very start of the season, the prospects of the 1969 golf team were favorable. Past experience was plentiful, due to the return of veteran linksters Josh Huffman, Jimmy Witherspoon, Dewees, and Johnny Lucas, all members of last year's squad. An abundance of new talent was present also, with John Givens, Ronnie Rochelle, Bruce McLain, Tommy Stevenson, and Jeff Vining rounding out the powerful team.

Mr. Bill Smith took over coaching duties this year, being afforded the difficult task of finding the best four players from the group to represent Battle Ground in the regulation matches. The golf team compiled a respectable record and continued to uphold the honor of past teams.



*The Golf Team. Left to right: Lucas, Rochelle, Berry, Bronaugh, Givens, Witherspoon, Coach Smith.*

## *The Golf Team*



*Berry and Bronaugh practice putting.*





# Baseball

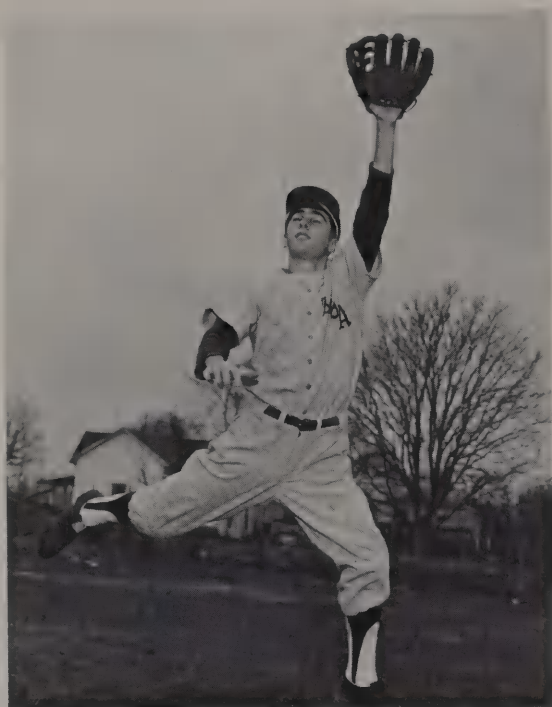
This spring, baseball began shortly after basketball season ended and while spring football was still in progress. During the time before Coach Cherry was able to work with the team, Tim Powers and Paul Muncy "coached" the boys who came out. Braving cold temperatures and gusty winds, about twelve boys came out to take batting practice and shag flies and grounders. When the weather was too dismal, the team stayed in the gym and loosened up their arms for a while and then engaged each other in basketball games for the remainder of the practice session. Most preseason practices consisted of warming up, jogging laps, picking up rocks from the infield (which abounds in geological specimens), hitting, and infield and outfield practices. The team worked diligently, though not always seriously, but it was just not the same without Coach Cherry and those football players who would be playing.

When the football crew did come out, a week before the season started, practices became more lively and spirited, although they were harder to endure as Coach Cherry ran the prospective players through several drills to get their lungs and legs in shape. Since hitting a baseball takes more skill and coordination than any other thing in sports, much time was devoted to developing players from "swinging gates" to strong hitters, Coach Cherry himself taking duty as batting practice pitcher. While one person was batting, there were usually several cliques in the outfield discussing such important subjects as girls, teachers, and television shows. If practice got especially dull, one could always turn around and watch the neighborhood kids playing basketball beyond the centerfield fence; the kids were always friendly and happy to chase homeruns for the baseball players too lazy to climb the fence.

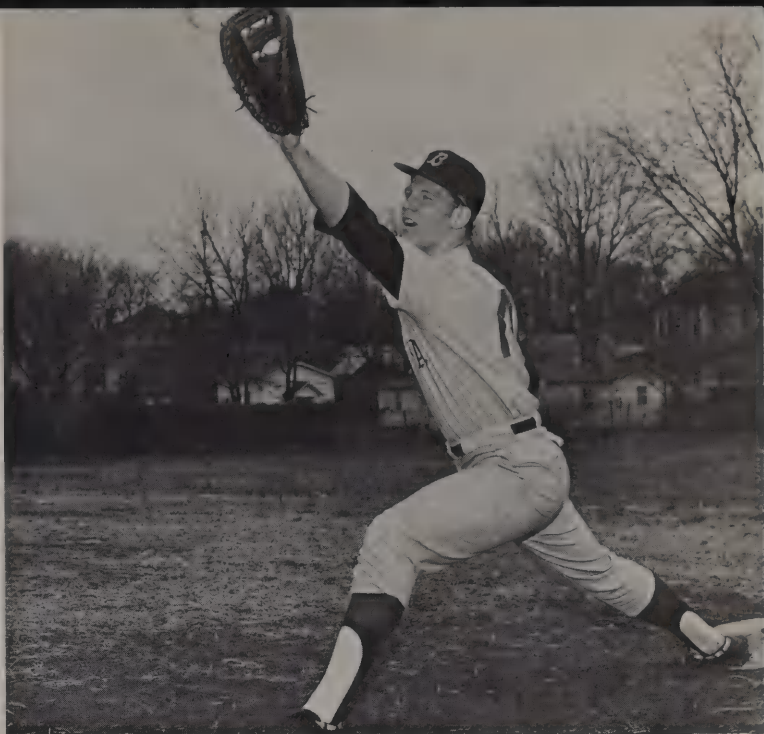


Left to Right, Front Row: Benz, Thompson, Smith, Anderson, Greene, Powers. Second Row: Mgr. Gant, Whiteman, Smith, S., Muncy, Bennett, Lykins, Shannon, Mgr. Mayer.

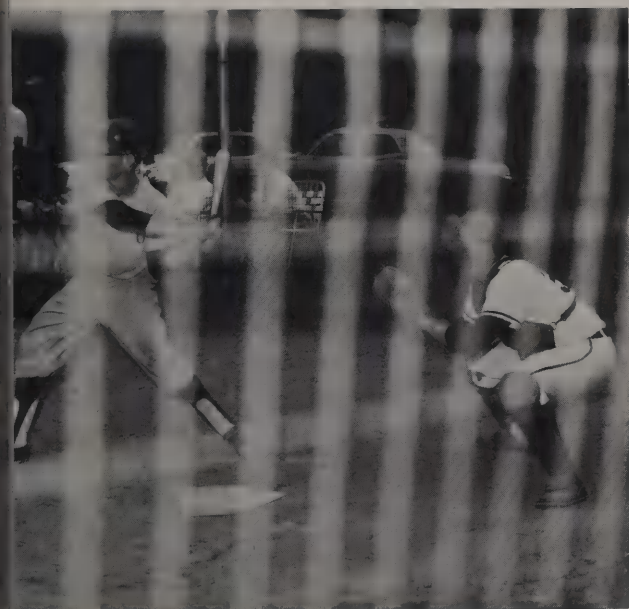
Back Row: Davidson, Hudson, Coach Cherry, Roberts, Boyd, Thomason.



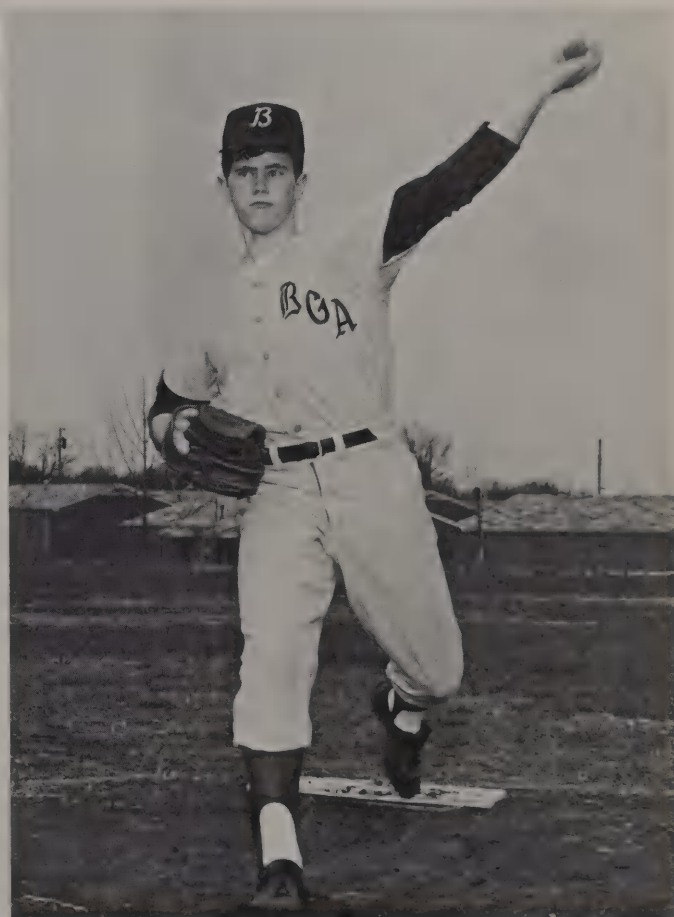
Eddie Roberts  
Centerfielder



Bill Smith  
First Baseman

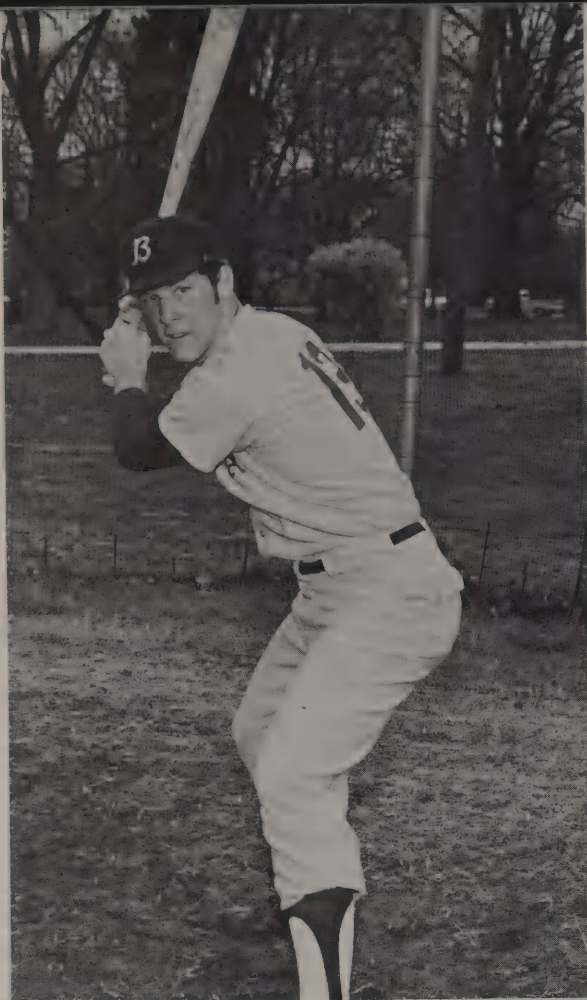


*Paul Muncy at the plate.*



Meredith Shannon  
Pitcher





Nate Greene  
Shortstop

Going into the year, the team had high hopes for a winning season. All the ingredients for a fine baseball team were present: good pitching, a tight defense, and strong hitting. The question was going to be whether or not Coach Cherry and the team could put all the potential together and produce a strong ball club. Pitching, 75% of a baseball game, was handled by returning letterman Tim Powers and first year man Meredith Shannon, with relief help from Billy Anderson. With Bill Smith at first, John Boyd at second base, Nate Greene at shortshop, and Paul Muncy at third base, the Wildcats expected a strong infield, both defensively and offensively. The outfield held the key to the year; if Eddie Roberts, Rick Bennett, and John Lykins could come through, the team would be solid. Since the yearbook goes to press before the season begins, the won-lost record is still a matter for speculation; but, if the team members can work together, and the team gets a few breaks, the hopes for a winning season will be realized, along with a possible district title and a place in the regional tournament.



Rick Bennett  
Right Field



Tim Powers  
Pitcher

## *Athletic Director*

In charge of the overall athletic program of Battle Ground Academy for 1968-69 was its capable athletic director, Mr. Jimmy Gentry. In addition to his duties as science teacher, Mr. Gentry, as athletic director, was involved in scheduling games, meets, and scrimmages for the teams of BGA. The athletic director is in a position of great responsibility, for he must see to it that each varsity, junior varsity, freshman, and sub-freshman team in every sport has an ample supply of contests with other schools. Coach Gentry spends a large amount of time on the telephone to other schools and on working out the various schedules for each season; he must coordinate the activities of the teams so that they do not conflict with each other and, as much as possible, will not interfere with other student activities. In filling his role as athletic director as well as varsity football coach and varsity wrestling coach, Mr. Gentry has spent many hours working for the athletes of BGA and deserves the gratitude of all the students of Battle Ground.



Mr. Jimmy Gentry  
Athletic Director







*... I am Youth  
and I long to be  
a part of Student  
Activities...*



As Youth, I long to participate in activities that not only stretch my mind, but also help make me a better person. I hope to grow and mature through these relationships with my fellow man.

Through dedication and hard work, I do my best to make all my endeavors successes. Yes, I am Youth and therefore active.



# Student Council



Left to Right: Paul Muncy, Bill Armistead, Steve Dudley, David Gardner, Mr. Akin, John Lee, Rick Francis.



Student Body President  
Bill Armistead

The members of the Student Council, elected in the spring of each year, carry the responsibility of leading and directing their fellow seniors and the underclassmen. This responsibility was met by occasional meetings with the student body and somewhat more frequent private meetings with Mr. Akin. Meetings with the student body were concerned with the usual problems of any school: cheating, drinking, smoking, and writing on the walls. Problems of a more specific nature were brought by the students to a council member and then discussed at one of the private sessions, at which time the council was usually told why the situation was the way it was and why it would remain so. The council discussed concrete questions such as girl cheerleaders and book-borrowing as well as problems such as school spirit and pride which were not so easy to pin down. Mostly, little in the way of actual change was accomplished by the meetings, for it always seemed that the problem could best be handled by the individual students or that the final decision must come from elsewhere than the council.

The other, less pleasant, task of the Student Council was to sit in on matters of discipline, usually to help ascertain the just punishment for the offender. A report of the offense was given by the faculty discipline committee, the facts were reported, the offender was heard, and the Honor Council adjourned to discuss the situation among themselves. After deciding on a course of action, the council would return with a recommendation for the faculty which may or may not have been accepted by them. Fortunately, serious discipline problems were few this year as no wholesale cheating ring or mass stealing scandal was discovered.

The boys on the Student Council were, however, very much aware of their responsibilities and their duties; they were elected on the basis of scholarship, leadership, activity, and integrity and felt the need to live up to the dignity of their position. Each member has given of himself, his talents, and his abilities in serving on the council this year and deserves the honor and respect ascribed him by his office.







*Seated, Clockwise:* Ross, Katzoff, Goodman, Gardner, Gentry, Minor, Muncy, Thomason, Selph, Dodson, Roberts, Brantley, Scantlebury, Schwartz, McClanahan, Powers. *Standing, Left*

*to Right:* Moran, Harwell, Witherspoon, Lewis, Ashcraft, Scoville, Benz, Armistead, Lee, Dudley, Lanier, Muntz, Huffman, Milam, Snodgrass, Ellis.

## Key Club



The Key Club this year continued to contribute its services to the school and the community. As in the past, the concession stands were efficiently operated by responsible Key Clubbers; and a variety of drinks, ranging from chocolate milk to orangeade were sold during the lunch periods. The Christmas drive for needy families received a great deal of support, and as a result many clothes and toys were presented to the underprivileged families of Franklin.

The Key Club progressed in other ways, too. For the first time, sophomore members were inducted into the club. The outstanding sophomores selected were Stack Scoville, Houston Moran, Turner Snodgrass, and Brad Thomason.

Also, this year's Key Club became more active with their sponsor, the Woodbine Kiwanis Club. Several times throughout the year, members from the BGA club attended the meetings of the Kiwanians. Here, many things were learned about conducting business.

The year went on, and finally the District Convention arrived. It was held in Knoxville, and this year's President, Steve Dudley, and next year's President, Bob McClanahan, both attended. The Kiwanis Club was very kind in that they financed the trip for both members.

At the close of the year, the new officers were sworn in, and a fresh group of promising new members took over.



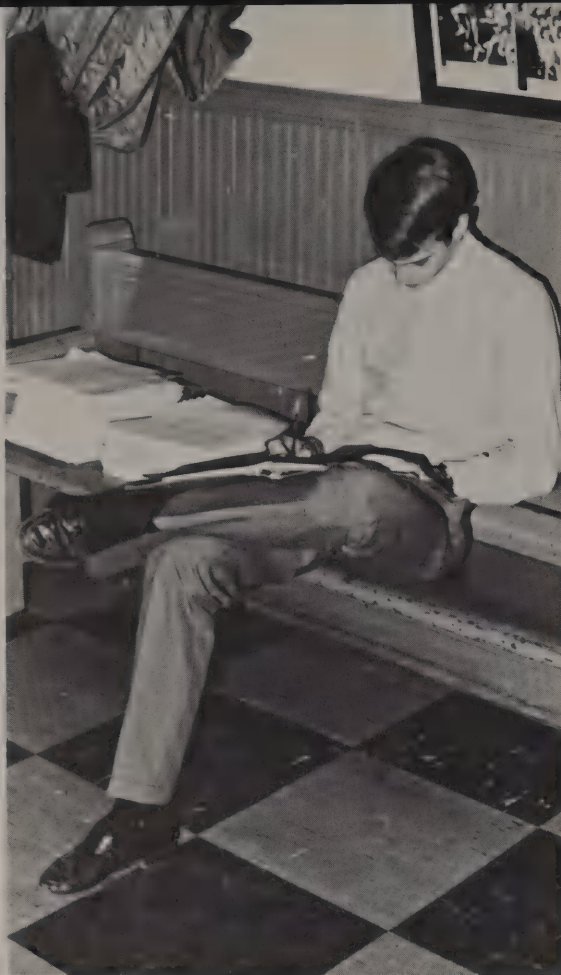
*Outgoing president Steve Dudley congratulates newly-elected president Bob McClanahan.*



Key Club Officers: *Left to Right:* Charlie Benz; Bill Armistead; Dwight Lanier; President, Steve Dudley; Sponsor, Mr.

Anthony Cobb; Jerry Muntz; John Lee.



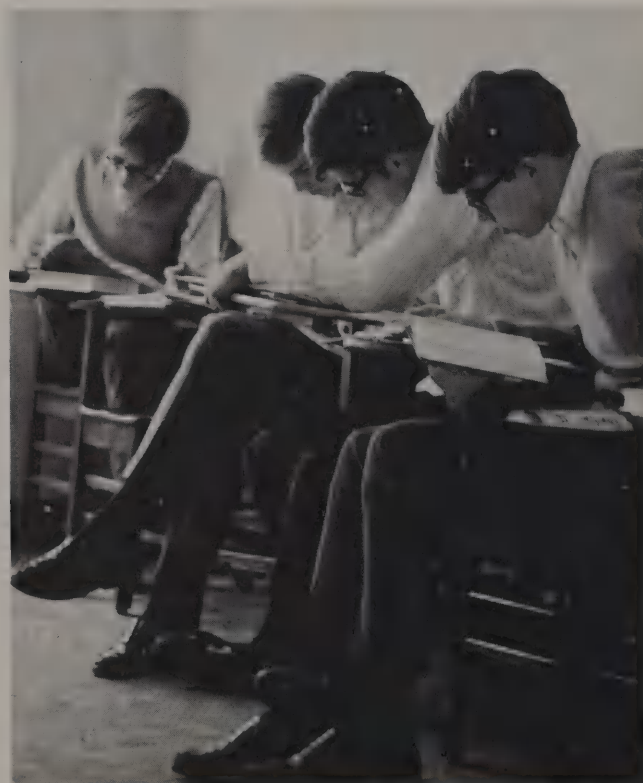


## Beta Club



The National Beta Club is an honorary society organized for the purpose of awarding those students who strive for excellence in their academic undertakings. To become a member of the Beta Club Chapter at Battle Ground Academy, students must attain an average of 87 in each subject one semester. After the student has joined the society, he must maintain the required standards throughout the year in order to keep his privileges. The main objective of the Beta Club is to instill in its members a sense of pride in achievement, honor in scholarship, and desire in leadership.

At BGA Beta Club membership means that one is not required to be present in study hall and may study anywhere on campus. The traditional meeting place of the Beta Club is in the commissary where members can do homework, shoot the breeze, or kill time in general. For the cost of membership dues the Beta Club member is entitled to a membership card, a Beta Club pin, a subscription to the Beta Club Journal, and an opportunity to get out of study hall.





*Left to Right:* Ormes, Miner, D. Early, Muntz, Katzoff, Gardner, Smith, Muncy, Milam, D. Berry, Dudley, Lewis, McLeod, Uthman, Witherspoon, S. Early, Goodman, Ashcraft, Lee, D. Berry.

A new organization at Battle Ground, the National Honor Society, has been organized this year as a sister organization of the Beta Club. Under the sponsorship of the National Association of Secondary School Principals, the National Honor Society is for juniors, seniors, and a select group of sophomores who demonstrate scholarship, leadership, and citizenship in their school lives. Each nominee for the organization must have an 87 average in each course for one semester and must be approved by the Faculty Council of Battle Ground. The newly named Daly Thompson Chapter of the National Honor Society, under the supervision of Mr. Cobb, should prove to be a step forward for the school and a valuable addition to the extracurricular activities of Battle Ground.



Merit Scholarship Finalists, *Seated:* Gardner, Muncy. Letter of Commendation Winners, *Standing:* Berry, Katzoff, Early. *Not Pictured:* Finalist: Morgan and Letter of Commendation: Simpson.





## F.C.A.



OFFICERS OF THE FELLOWSHIP OF CHRISTIAN ATH-  
LETES: David Gardner, Charley Benz, Paul Muncy, John

Lee, Sam Jack Brantley.





The Fellowship of Christian Athletes is an organization designed to bring together the athletes of Battle Ground to talk seriously about their faith and their responsibility to the school and the community. In the past, when the first F.C.A. meeting was called, there seemed to be an extraordinarily large number of Christian athletes in the student body. This year, however, the meetings were held in the morning before school, and the number of participants was noticeably diminished. There were fewer huddle groups this year, but they were more meaningful to those involved.

The huddle groups met every Wednesday morning to discuss different topics. One was made to think about Christ, school life, home life, and himself. The F.C.A.'ers as individuals tried to learn how to relate their faith; the F.C.A.'ers as a troupe tried to be relevant to Battle Ground. For those who attended F.C.A. meetings, Wednesday devotional was something special.







Left to Right: McLeod, Selph, Beesley, Huffman, Buttrey, Maddux, Bennett, Brantley, Schwartz.

## *Social Committee*



The Social Committee this year has operated somewhat differently than in the past. Membership was reduced from twenty-four to nine members with meetings at regular intervals. The senior members, Josh Huffman, Sam Brantley, Lewis Maddux, Ned McLeod, Denson Buttrey, and Bob Selph worked along with the junior members, Jim Beesley, Rick Bennett, and Mark Schwartz. Sponsored by Mr. Danny Allen and Mr. Rodney Rogers and headed by Jim Beesley, the Social Committee endeavored to provide the students of Battle Ground with dances and parties. The Committee went to great lengths to obtain good combos, which would be acceptable to the students, and spent many hours decorating the bleak gym to make it presentable. They announced, cajoled, persuaded, posted, and otherwise encouraged people to participate in the social functions. Through their untiring efforts, B.G.A. was provided with many fine dances and combos.

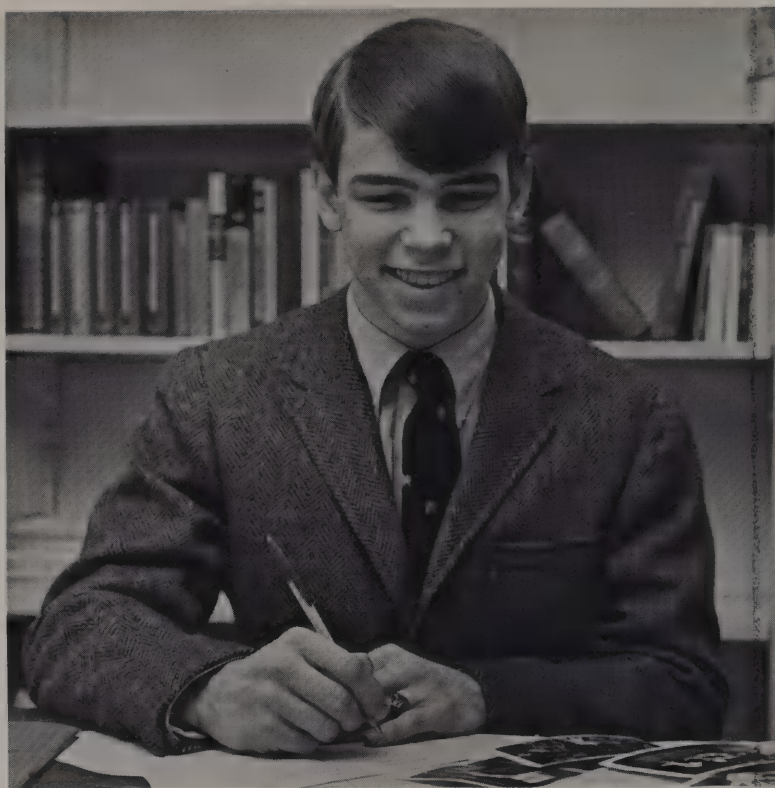


The first function which the Social Committee arranged was the annual "Meet the Franklin Girls" dance for the boarders. This combo gave the new boarders a chance to meet the lovely array of Franklin belles for the first time and the older students a chance to renew old acquaintances and speak to the girls whom they hadn't seen since last year's dance. Next on the social calendar was the homecoming dance at which the Exotics played before a full house following the Murfreesboro football game. Because of several conflicts, the Christmas Dance was pre-empted this year, but there were dances and combos following some of the basketball games. These combos helped promote spirit at the basketball games and were very well attended. The Valentine's Dance, arranged to compensate for the lack of a Christmas Dance, was held in February after a week's delay due to the snow. Entertained by the Precious Few, a large crowd danced at the gym for four hours and went away with praises for the night's event. The final event of the year, the Spring Formal honoring the seniors, was held in May. The dance was a success, due to the hard work and careful planning of the juniors along with the cooperation of the Social Committee.

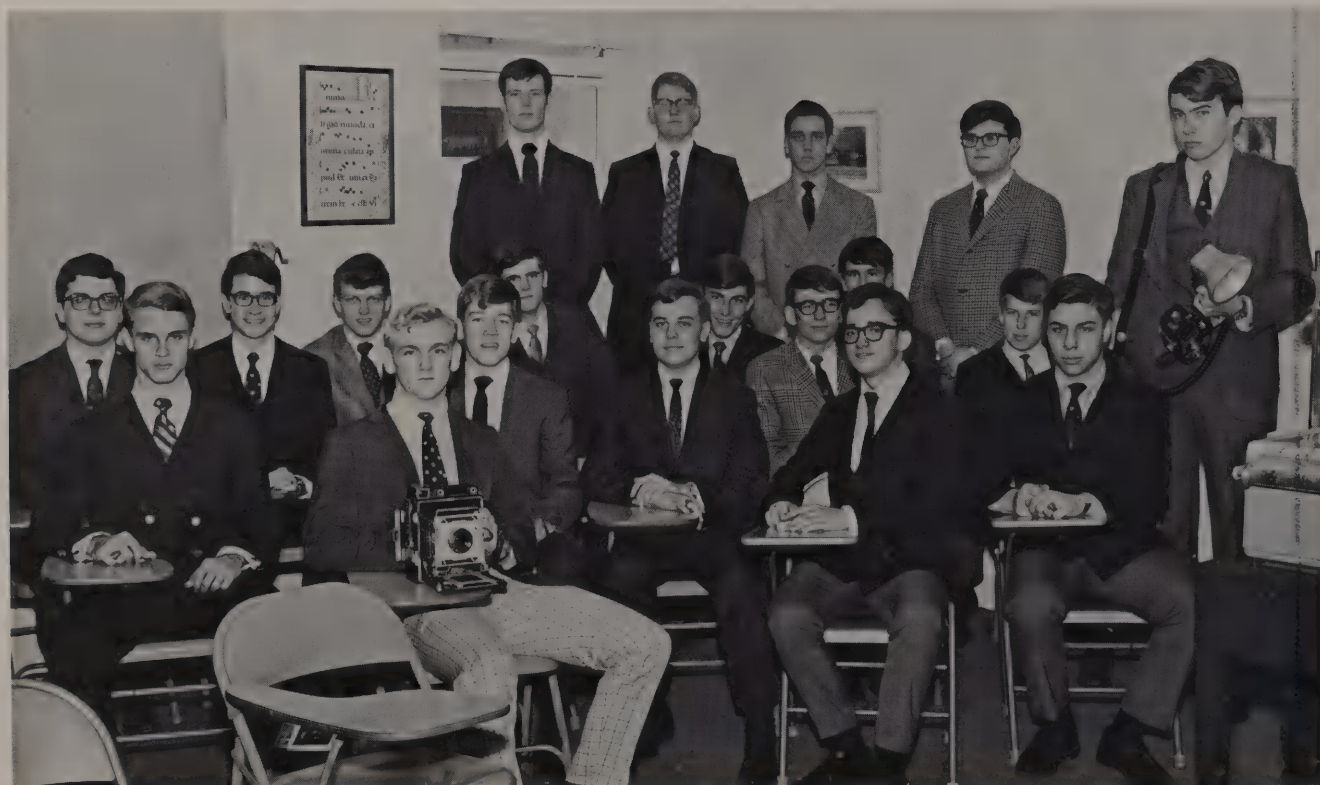




## *Wildcat Staff*



Editor David Gardner



Seated, Left to Right: Ormes, Dudley, Muntz, Milam, Hasty, Isaacson, Livingstone, Glenn, McClanahan, Scoville, Uthman,

Walt, Reid, Katzoff. Standing: Smith, Smithson, McLeod, Howser, Early. Not Pictured: Binkley.

The '68-69 *Wildcat* started off as usual, with no noticeable changes; but soon a new look came over the Battle Ground newspaper. Published for the first time by the staff was the *Tiger Lily*, a circular containing exposés of certain faculty members. Amidst the learned literature were mingled jokes and false stories. Sometimes the jokes were good, sometimes very bad; but they were always in good taste. Mr. Patterson saw to that.

Then there was the old *Wildcat*. It was not published as often as before, but the *Tiger Lily* filled the gap. The *Wildcat* was still filled with the real news of B.G.A., the sports results, the speech trips, the choir's activities, and all the other extracurriculars that were associated with Battle Ground.

Mr. Cobb remained the sponsor; he provided the essential link which kept the outfit running smoothly. David Gardner was the editor; he always had trouble finding time to work with his staff because of his other responsibilities. But somehow he always did. Bo Johnson served as the runner-up, coming in at the last minute with his copy. The office of sports fell to Jim Beesley.



Feature Editor Joe Gordon



Sports Editor Jim Beesley and Assistant Editor Bo Johnson





THE CANNONBALL STAFF—Front Row: Reid, Uthman, Selph, Witherspoon, Milam. Back Row: Crowell, Gardner, Armistead, McLeod, Muntz, Livingston, Horn. Not Pictured: Beadle, McClanahan, Faust.



Cover Designer West Reid

## *Cannon Ball Staff*

The story of the 1969 CANNON BALL could very well fill a number of volumes. From the beginning to the end, there was never a dull moment; but there was almost every other kind: tired moments, angry moments, confused moments, and a handful of others. But through it all emerged a finished book. We of the staff are still wondering how that happened. Anyway, when the last pages disappeared in the hands of the printer, mixed emotions were scattered about. Relief, of course. But still a feeling of strangeness about not going below sea level each afternoon to reach the publications room. We kept one motive in mind as the year went on: to try to please everybody, at least partly. Successful or not, the 1969 CANNON BALL now remains to be passed around for autographs and placed on the shelf with the past year-books.



Photographer Hugh Hasty



Left to Right: Bob Selph, Skip Beadle, Bill Armistead, Ned McLeod.

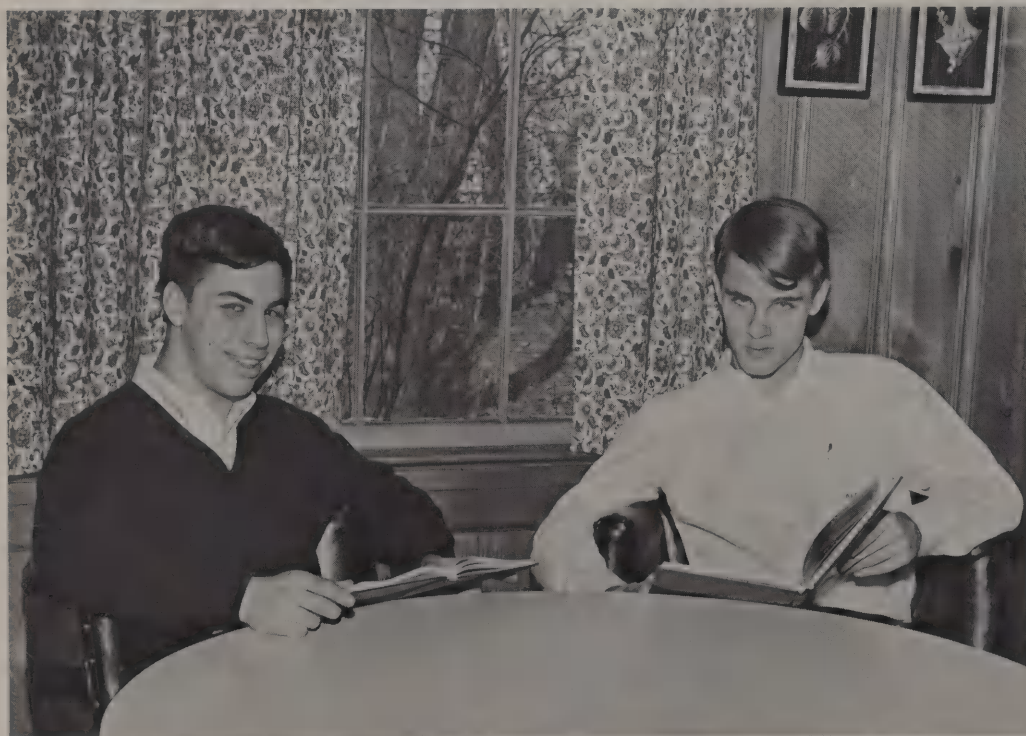




Business Manager Paul Muncy



Photographer Steve Early



Editors Richard Katzoff and Steve Dudley

At the first of the year, the publications room little resembled a constructing parlor for a yearbook. But time moved on, and gradually an enormous pile of pictures began to accumulate. Soon they were all over the place, along with copy sheets, coke bottles and various other debris. Mr. Patterson always told the staff to keep the room clean; but since it took nearly a week to tidy up and only fifteen minutes to mess up, he finally gave up. Some nights the room served as a dining room, especially on the "deadline nights." Needless to say, those endurance marathons became objects of dread. The photographers really had the big load; they not only had to work in tiny quarters, but bear the "hurry up, we're behind" from the editors as well. Occasionally, Mr. Patterson would lay it on the line; no homework was done on these nights.



*All in the line of work?*



Sponsor Don Patterson

This year's book was the product of many ideas from many people. The door to the room was almost always open, and several times, non-staff members would wander in, to the horror of Richard, who would quickly evict them. But credit must be given to the tireless hours spent by the staff. Bob Selph was the captioning artist, coming to our aid during the staff's mental lapses. Bill Armistead, Skip Beadle, Ned McLeod, and Dwight Lanier took honors in the odd job category. There were many others without whose help the book would have never been finished. Paul Muncy was the business manager, and he served as assistant editor as well. Last but not least was our sponsor, Mr. Patterson. He was our resort when our technical knowledge failed. Sometimes there were disagreements, but he took care of those.

Undoubtedly, the yearbook got in the way of the teachers sometimes. Students were removed from classes and many times the staff had to miss entire periods. Of all the periods, it somehow seemed that P.E. got the worse absentee list.



# Forensics



Seated: Uthman, Glenn, Faust, Smith, Rush, Miner, McClanahan. Standing: Howser, Berry, Mrs. Duke, Brantley, Huffman, Atwood.



VARSITY DEBATERS: Uthman, Miner, Howser, McClanahan.



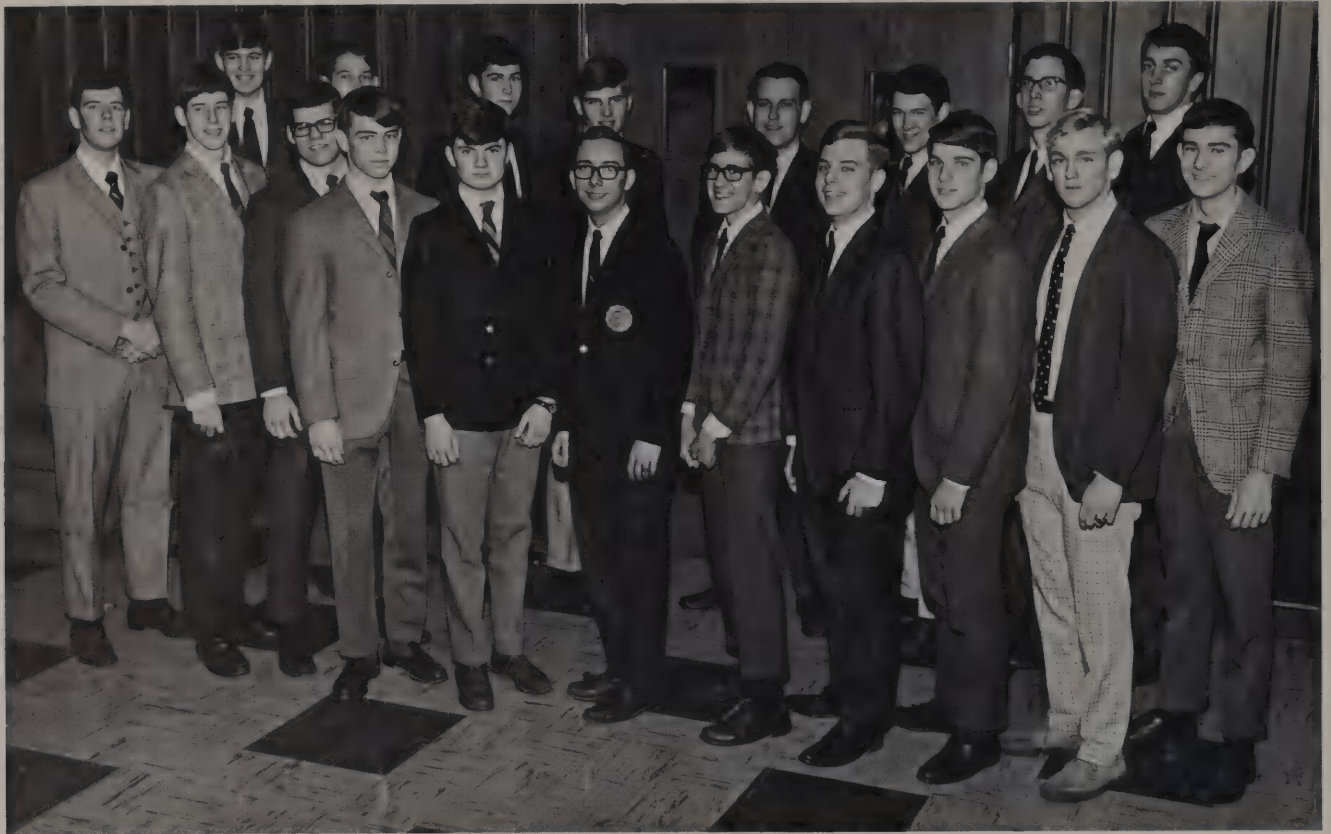
*Back Row:* Givens, Thompson, Smithson, Atwood. *Second Row:* Beesley, King, Cowan, Crozier, Buttrey, Howser, Brantley, Uthman. *Front Row:* Geny, Little, Ellis, McClanahan, Mr. Byrd.

## Glee Club





# Speech and Drama



Back Row: Beesley, King, Dodson, Harwell, Mr. Byrd, Huffman, Ross, Brantley. Front Row: Horn, Faust, Minor, Gard-

ner, MacDonald, Smith, Sparkman, Glenn, Atwood, Hasty, Hutcheson.



During the 1968-1969 school year, the speech program at BGA was greatly expanded in order to place more emphasis on performances before large audiences. Material that heretofore had been used only in competition was performed on stage for pure entertainment. One of the main formats of the speech department was to convey the idea that not only plays but all forms of literature were written to be performed. A second goal of the instructors was to present the unfamiliar forms in such a manner that it opened up a whole new dimension of speech to both the student body and the parents. This was keenly observed in the reception the students and parents gave the program presented at BGA on February 13th, 1969. Moreover, the speech program attempted to give the student body a new evaluation of all the dramatic arts; but in particular that of poetry was seen to come of age at Battle Ground this past year.

Another objective of the drama program was to teach the performers that the audience was not something to be feared, but someone who sought to know. In accordance, their primary function was to educate and/or entertain.



## Drama

The department consisted of several component sections. For the first time ever, the freshman speech class produced their own play. Although it was originally intended only for production at BGA, the performance turned out so well that the school entered the play in the district tournament. At its first performance on February 13th, Mike Brown received the award for the best performance given. The other members of the drama section produced the play, "Twelve Angry Men", in the latter part of the year.

The extemporaneous speaking section, which dealt with current events on the national level, was well represented by Douglas Berry, Bill Smith, and Sam Jack Brantley. It was the purpose of this section to teach the presentation of a speech on short notice with the logical analysis of a subject.

As in the past, our speech team again traveled to Emory University in Atlanta, Georgia, to participate in the Barkley Forum, an exclusive debate tournament in which only top-ranked schools are allowed to participate. During the year, Jack Howser managed to complete the requirements for eligibility in the National Forensic League Tournament. Even though the usual time required to acquire the necessary two hundred and fifty points in four years, Jack managed to do it in only three.

All the varsity debaters handled themselves admirably in the dozen or so tournaments this year. Bob McClanahan and Jack Howser brought back a second place trophy from the district debate tournament. In addition, Hanes Sparkman won the first place



trophy for humorous interpretation. All three boys went on to represent us in the state tournament.

At the end of the year, the speech program seemed to accomplish most of its objectives. Their only regret was that they had to postpone some changes intended for 1968-1969 for the future because they just couldn't fit them into their schedule.





## *Cheerleaders*



It is the job of the cheerleaders to instill spirit into the school and, with the crowd, to provide noisy support for the athletic teams of Battle Ground. This is a most difficult task when a team is having a losing season, because the crowds are often small and quiet. Such was the lot of the 1968-69 cheerleaders. The football cheerleaders, Jimmy Witherspoon, Tim Powers, Rob Anderson, John Simpson, Rick Francis, Dick Lewis, Rick

Bennett, and Richard Katzoff braved cold weather, rain, distance, and overwhelming scores to cheer the football team on. The ranks of the basketball cheerleaders were, for the first time in several years, blessed with the presence of girls, Retha Rudolph, Miriam Woods, and Ruthie Brown, who, along with Charley Benz, Steve Horn, Chris Dodson, Paul Muncy, and Dick Lewis, lent vocal support to the Battle Ground basketball team.





## *Cheerleaders*







*Plato Officers: Steve Horn, Vice-President; Mike Williams, President; Mark Scantlebury, Secretary.*



*Plato officers and Mr. Akin choose new members at assembly.*

## *Platos*

This year new interest was aroused in the Plato-Greer competition through the choosing of new members in assembly. Under the direction of Mr. Akin, the officers of the two societies chose new members amid a tumult of shouts and cheers from the student body.

Competition between the two societies began earlier than usual when the ticket sales for the car raffle was set up as a contest, with a banner going to the winner. Mr. Cobb was in charge of the ticket sales for the Greers as was Mr. Cherry for the Platos. These men were ably assisted in the supervision of ticket sales by Greer President Harry Blackburn and Plato President Mike Williams.



The Greer Officers: Left to Right: Doug Thomaspon—Secretary, Bill Armistead—Vice-President, Harry Blackburn—Presi-

dent, Chris Dodson—Treasurer.

## Greers

Later in the Spring, all athletic events were held between the two groups under the direction of Mr. Reynolds. Points were awarded to the winners of track, wrestling, swimming, basketball and softball. No matter who had the most points at the time of the tug of war, the winner of that event won in overall competition.

The tug of war took place in late May at the banks of the Harpeth River, a few miles out of Franklin. A rope was stretched across the river, we raised it, and waited intensely for the signal from Mr. Akin. As the crowd cheered, the better of the two societies pulled the other across the river amid grunts and groans from the losers.



Big "O" starts the hundred-yard dash in Greer-Plato competition.





*Left to Right:* Secretary Stewart Bronaugh, Treasurer John D. Moran, President Reese L. Smith, Vice-President Ralph W. Harrison.

## *Men's Club*

For the first time in several years Battle Ground Academy has an active Men's Club. Organized at the first of the year by Mr. Akin and several interested parents, the Men's Club has as its officers Reese Smith, President; John Moran, Treasurer; Stewart Bronaugh, Secretary; Ralph Harrison, Vice-President. The goals of the Men's Club are threefold: (1) To work with the faculty and student body on special projects. (2) To draw the parents of the students into a closer unit. (3) To aid in the school spirit and overall welfare of Battle Ground Academy.

Through the outstanding leadership of its officers the Men's Club has been active in its first year, having donated money to the library and sponsored a fund-raising jamboree in the spring. In the years ahead Battle Ground can look forward to closer relationships between the parents, students, and faculty.

## Women's Auxiliary

The Ladies Auxiliary of Battle Ground Academy, this year under the leadership of Mrs. Charles Warfield, has made great strides toward stimulating and maintaining interest in Battle Ground Academy. By the creation of twelve standing committees, the Auxiliary intends to be a part of all facets of Battle Ground's activities. Working with Mrs. Warfield are Mrs. Hugh Howser, Vice-President; Mrs. Tom Harlin, Secretary; and Mrs. James Crowell, Treasurer. The Ladies Auxiliary worked hand in hand with the Men's Club on the Jamboree this spring and will work closely with the Men's Club on future projects for the betterment of Battle Ground Academy.



*Left to Right:* Nominating Committee Chairman, Mrs. Ralph Harrison; President, Mrs. Charles Warfield; Vice-President,

Mrs. Hugh Howser; Treasurer, Mrs. Jim Crowell. *Absent:* Secretary, Mrs. Tom Harlin.



## *B.G.A. Jamboree Day*

One of the highlights of 1969 was the Jamboree Auction Day held on Friday April 25th. This was the exciting renovation of the auctions held at BGA many years ago.

Activities began in the early afternoon. Competition with visiting schools in baseball, tennis, and track was offered to the sports enthusiasts.

Game booths and food booths added extra enjoyment to the day.

Later in the day, an auction was held in the gym with Fulton Beasley, well known Franklin auctioneer, in charge.

The Jamboree reached its climax with the delicious fish fry dinner and the drawing for the beautiful Dodge GTS. This was a long anticipated event as the Plato-Greer ticket sales competition brought much excitement to the raffle.

Proceeds from the Jamboree will be used to improve BGA's physical plant.

Our thanks go to the Men's Club, the Ladies Auxiliary, and the Alumni Association for sponsoring that fun-filled day.

The Men's Club and Ladies Auxiliary express their thanks to the following groups for their most generous contributions:

Meadow Gold Ice Cream Co., Ice Cream  
Purity Dairies Inc., Milk  
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Rascoe-Clark Co., Hush Puppies  
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Mid-South Packing Co., Ground Beef  
Alloway's Packing Co., Hot Dogs  
Swift's Packing Co., Ground Beef  
DeFord Brothers Sausage Co., Hot Dogs



*The beautiful Dodge GTS which was given away at the Jamboree.*



*Left to Right: Lucas, Wright, Henry, Simpson, Mr. Smithson, Brantley, Isaacson, Ross, Miner, Gardner.*

## *Dormitory Proctors*

Mr. Smithson took over the responsibility of the dormitories this year, succeeding Mr. Patterson. Hoping to eliminate the need of proctors in the dorms, Mr. Smithson placed the boarders on a modified honor system. He expected the common sense of the students, strengthened by the omnipresent fear of "the wasp", to insure order in the dorms. The weak-willed and mischievous boarders, however, failed to live up to his expectations. Numerous and repeated breaches of conduct, from orange-peel fights to fire-cracker wars, forced Mr. Smithson to revert back to the time-honored tradition of proctors.

At the end of the first semester, the faculty chose the proctors who would serve for the remainder of the year. Seven seniors: Brantley, Wright, Isaacson, Lucas, Gardner, Simpson, and Henry, along with two juniors, Ross and Miner, were chosen. A few minor incidents, such as urchins challenging Gomer, marred the initial days; but these problems were quickly overcome. Once again the dorms at Battle Ground are patrolled by fearless, ruthless enforcers of law and order; and, at last, all is well.



*Proctors meet with sponsor.*



*... I am Youth  
and I long  
to be a part  
of Student Life...*



Summer was a blast and we enjoyed it. But all good things come to an end, and, much to our dismay, August came and went, and September arrived.

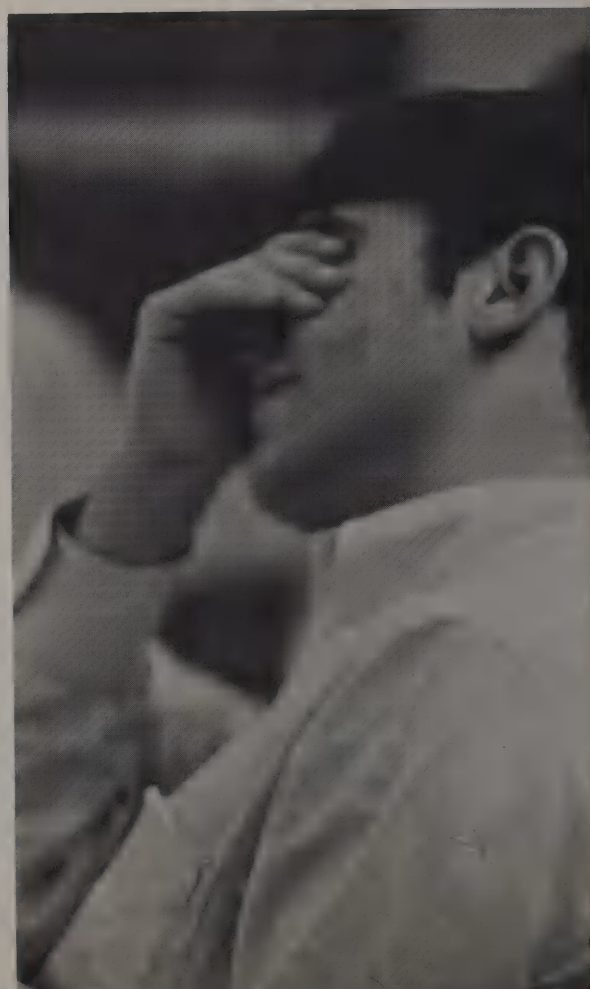
September 9. Registration. That desperate rush to get all the required books, to schedule classes, to avoid P.E. if possible, and to schedule lunch at the first period available. The time had come to recognize and greet the old students and teachers and to meet and evaluate the new ones. On the wall hung the picture of the class of '68, still remembered, but, almost unsympathetically, mere history to the new arrivals. And let's not forget the familiar landmarks of the school: the war museum, with relics dating from before the Civil War up to the present crisis in Vietnam; the commissary, scene of much after school loitering; the library, with its stereo headsets which allowed the latest hits to be played in secrecy; and last, but far from least, the study hall, an immortal memorial to the closeness of the students that are B.G.A., past, present, and future.







For one group of fifty-six boys the return was not quite as painful because it was the last time. The seniors were soon to be involved in their final year of work before they had to face the awesome reality of college and life.





School began soon after. The first days, as always, were filled with confusion. But things gradually settled down, and everyone was abruptly reminded of the main function of BGA: education. There was homework and more homework; by all reasonable estimates enough to keep one busy for at least two years. But we did it, or tried to do it, and soon the assignments began to be taken for granted.





The gym buzzed with life after school, as all the athletic teams resumed practice. It was easier if one was occupied all the time. There was no time to regret the end of summer. As routine settled into oblivion, the year wore on.

Friday nights were always good. Freedom for the weekend made everyone ecstatic. The football games did not end in victory, but there was satisfaction in knowing a good effort had been given by the team.



Afterwards came the dances, a welcome change from the gloomy proceedings on the athletic field. The bands were sometimes questionable but always loud. Homecoming was different; the Exotics entertained after that game. Everyone agreed that they were the best; even the teachers danced.

As the season wore on, everyone looked forward to new seasons with better results.



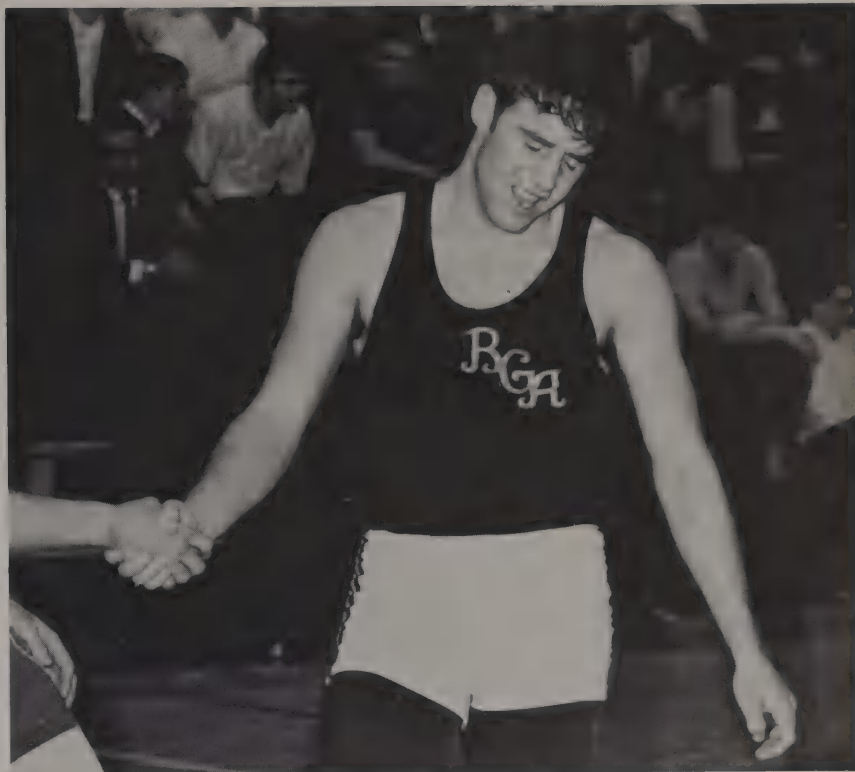


As the year progressed, those of us who lived in the dorm had a good time, especially after lights. Countless feats were performed and often the culprits were caught red-handed. Nobody was safe from the threat of possible discovery. And weekend leaves were cancelled in an often futile attempt to quiet things down. And then there were the afternoons after school. Music blared from radios and stereos. Continuous card games were played, and "Smooth" entertained with his liberal interpretations of soul. Oliver, "the Yellow Butterfly" carried on an incessant battle with the "Moth." But everywhere May was anticipated with impatience.



Athletics were not entirely successful, as far as the won-lost column is concerned. In every sport, this was a rebuilding year. In football, basketball, and wrestling, many underclassmen gained valuable experience. But the future began to look brighter.

These athletic records were not indicative of spirit or effort by any means. No one lagged; everyone did his part. It was usually a case of being outmanned. This is a part of athletics, and eventually we will again be the victors, the unconquerable foe. So runs the cycle.









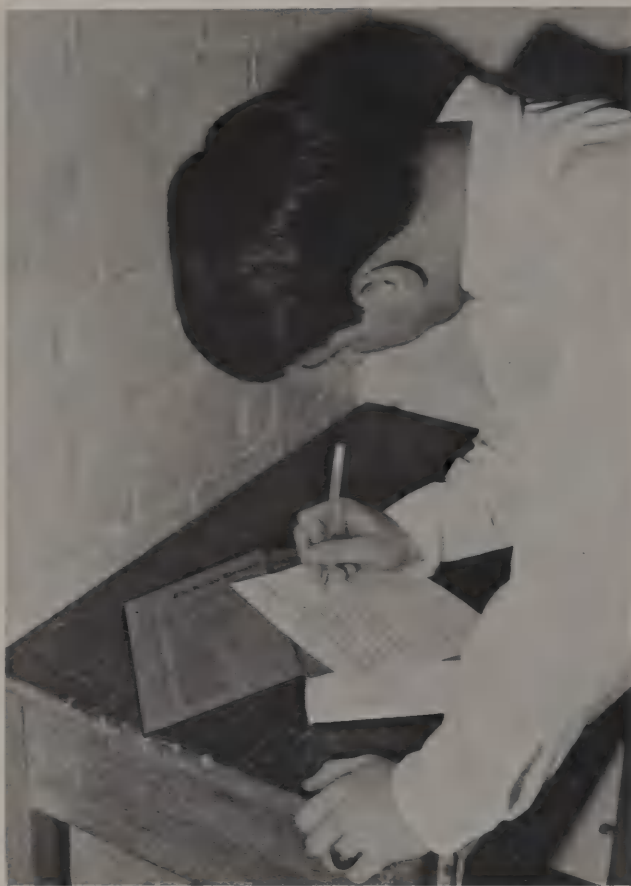
Perhaps the most fretful event of the day was the long walk from P.E., especially if you were late to an important class. This was often the case, due to the forgetfulness of all parties involved. Many dramatic late entrances were made after the last bell. But if you were lucky, lunch came next, and the walk became a leisurely stroll.

Lunch was an occasion to behold. The seniors exercising one of their many privileges, were able to go first in line, and it was often amusing to watch the urchins scramble to get behind the last one. Afterwards, conversation was varied, and most people usually went to the commissary or to study hall.

A familiar sight during both lunch periods was the crowd milling around the mail window, where all personal mail was delivered. Everyone checked, and often the signs of disappointment were evident when *that* letter failed to come.







Friday came, although many swore it must have been at least a day late. Assembly was restless, the back of study hall unmanageable. But no harm was meant and the faculty was mercifully lenient. After school came the check-out line, and Mr. Patterson sighed with relief as Oliver, Anderson, Hasty, and McGinnis checked out. Then there was the Exodus, almost as if it were a release from a long confinement. Classes were forgotten and everyone anticipated Saturday night.





An important step was taken to revitalize school spirit. For the first time in five years, the girl cheerleaders were chosen. Retha Rudolph, Miriam Woods, and Ruthie Brown carried on this renewed tradition in a commendable manner. Support picked up and the basketball team played better. After all, everyone wants to be a crowd pleaser. Basketball cheerleaders besides the three girls were Dick Lewis, Chris Dodson, Paul Muncy, Steve Horn and Charley Benz.







December 21, Christmas vacation. But more important, autumn is over. For those who keep score by seasons, the year was one third gone. We rejoiced, but still there was more to come. It could be endured, but only on a day by day basis.

There was weather, always unpredictable, usually disappointing. It rained. It hailed. It snowed, usually on a Monday, too late to keep the boarders at home. After school, snowball fights, the "oichins" versus the senior dorm. It is obvious who won.

Other sights were familiar. The bare trees, Mr. Smith playing with the dogs, Mr. Franklin pedaling to and from school, and the end of practice for the athletic teams. Here twenty or more boys emerged from the shadowy gym exhausted but jubilant because they were free until the next day.







After Christmas came exams: Those grueling reminders that school was not out. We studied, we sweated, we stayed up late, and finally, we took the tests. The exams in themselves were almost anticlimactic.

The waiting was the worst part. "Did I pass? Did I fail? How bad was it?" All these questions were asked and more. Failing students optimistically stated that they could make up the credit second semester, but they were really scared. And who wouldn't be, for it is easy to make a bad grade under such great pleasure. The task of settling back down to the grind was at hand.

The second semester started out with a snow that allowed the day students an extra day of vacation, as most of them were "stranded" on the slopes of Chickering Road.





In late January, Mr. Power again came, and that confusing chore of picture taking resumed. Often seen were Dudley and Katzoff running around as if in severe pain or confusion. Over 300 pictures were snapped and all of the major school activities were covered. In spite of the rough schedule, classes were carried on almost as usual. The senior members of the Cannonball staff could be thankful that it was over, but the juniors could only wait for the same occasion to occur the next year.







For most of the seniors, much effort was required to stay awake in English class, especially if it was the last class of the day. The windows were always closed, and the heat induced drowsiness in all the students present. But classes continued, and much was learned despite the often imperfect environment.

And there were the afternoon football games. Mostly the boarders played, but some day-students joined in. Teams were not always even, but everyone played hard. The game continued until 5:30, time to get ready for supper. Then there was the rush for the showers, the cold water, and often the expressions of contempt for the dorm as a result. These games were inconsequential, but no one involved will ever forget them.



One of the most popular items around the dorm was the telephone. It afforded everyone a link with home and, more important, direct communication with that special someone. Famous for their afternoon sessions were Powell, Oliver, and Lucas, who were often accused, unjustly of course, of violating the five minute rule imposed by Mr. Smithson. But usually everyone was considerate and there were few major arguments.







Impossible as it may seem, the class of '69 became nostalgic as the year went on. The District basketball tournaments came, and the spirit of that great season a few years back was relived for a few short hours.

Although seeming insignificant, the greatest transition came when the seniors ordered graduation invitations and were measured for their caps and gowns. Soon after, the impatient juniors were measured for their senior rings; this was their first opportunity to act the part of their future role as seniors.

The year 1968-69 will long be remembered for many things. A new administration brought with it a new sense of school unity. The building was also remodeled to provide more practical office space. Papa Charlie died this year, and fewer and fewer cars went the back way through town.

If a vacant space is discovered, a new senior composite will soon be hanging amid the ones of years past. Chemistry, Advanced Math, the Cannonball, and all the other senior heartaches will be passed down to a new set of recruits.









*I am Youth  
and I long to  
be a part of  
the Student Body*



As a part of classes, idealistically I am an ambitious student who contributes more than that which is required. Realistically, this is not true.

Through educational stimulation and involvement, I hope to become a finer class member and classmate.



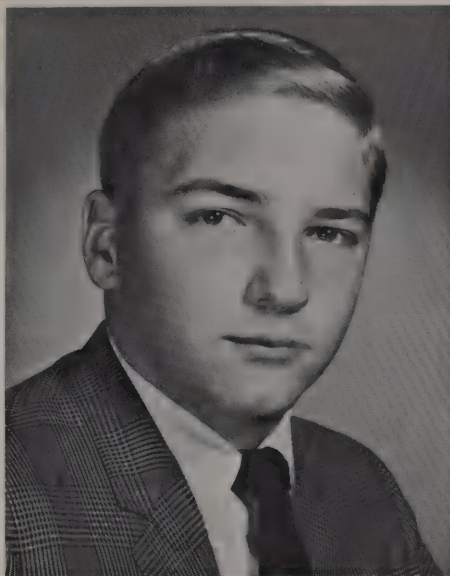


President Chris Dodson

Rick,  
 Well, it's finally over. I've  
 never had a better friend or made a  
 friend quicker than you. I hope to see  
 plenty of you in the future and I'm sure I  
 will. I hope your senior is successful as you  
 post three have been and I wish you the best  
 of everything.  
 Class of 1969...  
 Bob Selph



Sergeant-at-Arms Tim Powers, Secretary Jere Ellis, Vice-President Mike Williams, Treasurer Bob Selph



**ROBERT C. ALLEN III**

Fayetteville, Tennessee

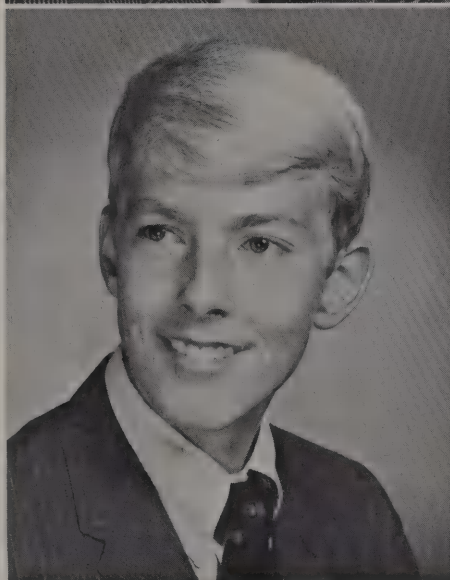
Three years at B.G.A.; Transfer—Central High School; Freshman Football 1; Varsity Football 3; B-Team Football 3; Plato.



**ROBERT JACKSON ANDERSON III**

Nashville, Tennessee

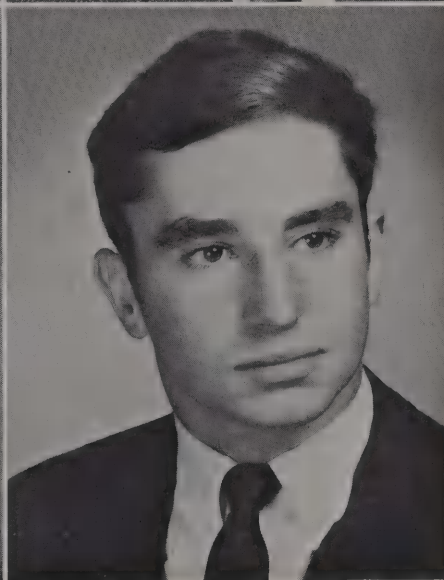
Four years at B.G.A.; Freshman Football; B-Team Football 2; Greer.



**ROBERT O. ANDERSON**

Dickson, Tennessee

Two years at B.G.A.; Transfer—Dickson High School; Freshman Football 1; Varsity Wrestling 3, 4; F.C.A. 3, 4; Varsity Football Cheerleader 4; Plato.



**LEONARD HEARNE ARMISTEAD III**

Franklin, Tennessee

Four years at B.G.A.; Vice-President 2, 3; Freshman Football 1; Freshman Basketball 1; Freshman Track 1; B-Team Football 2; Varsity Football 3, 4; Varsity Track 2, 3, 4; President Student Body; Key Club 3, 4; Vice-President Key Club 4; F.C.A. 1, 2, 3, 4; Social Committee 3, 4; CANNON BALL Staff 4; Mid South Latin Tournament Honorable Mention; Freshman Athletic Spirit Award 1; Greer Vice-President 4.

**THOMAS WOLFE ASHCRAFT**

Nashville, Tennessee

Four years at B.G.A.; Freshman Football 1; Varsity Basketball 3, 4; Co-Captain 4; Varsity Track 3; Freshman Track 1; Key Club 4; Beta Club 1, 2, 3, 4; N.E.D.T. Certificate 1, 2; Plato.

**DONALD RAYMOND BEADLE**

Nashville, Tennessee

Six years at B.G.A.; Sub Freshman Football 7, 8; Co-Captain 8; Sub Freshman Basketball Mgr. 8; Sub Freshman Track 7, 8; Freshman Football 1; B-Team Football 2, 3; Varsity Football 4; Social Committee 4; CANNON BALL Staff 4; F.C.A. 1, 2, 3, 4; Treasurer 7; Vice-President 8; Plato.

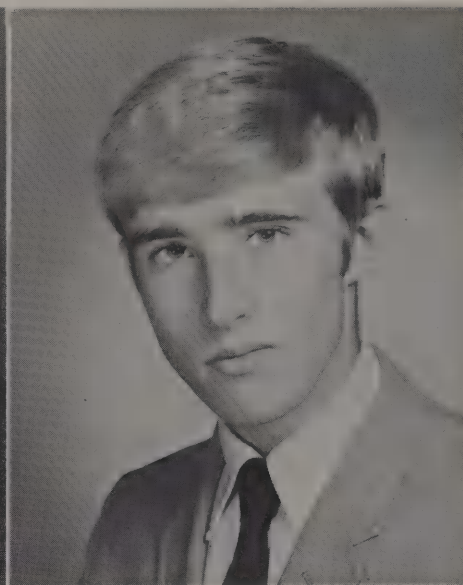




**CHARLES MCCHORD BENZ**

Nashville, Tennessee

Four years at B.G.A.; Freshman Football 1; B-Team Football 2; Varsity Football 3, 4; Varsity Track 3; Key Club 3, 4; Key Club Treasurer 4; F.C.A. 1, 2, 3, 4; F.C.A. Vice-President 4; Varsity Basketball Cheerleader 4; Greer.



**COBURN DEWEES BERRY IV**

Franklin, Tennessee

Four years at B.G.A.; B-Team Basketball 3; Cross Country 4; Varsity Golf 2, 3, 4; Beta Club 2, 3, 4; Wildcat Staff 3; N.E.D.T. Certificate 1, 2; N.M.S.Q.T. Letter of Commendation; Mid South Latin Tournament Certificate of Merit 2; Plato.



**HARRY GENTRY BLACKBURN**

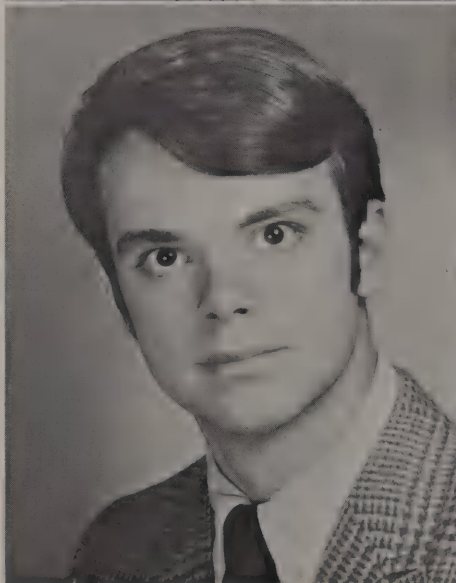
Franklin, Tennessee

Four years at B.G.A.; Treasurer 1; President 2; Varsity Football 1, 2, 3, 4; Freshman Basketball 1; B-Team Basketball 2; Varsity Track 1, 2, 3; F.C.A. 1, 2, 3; President Greer.

**SAM JACK BRANTLEY**

Shelbyville, Tennessee

Three years at B.G.A.; Transfer-Shelbyville Central High School; Varsity Basketball 3; B-Team Basketball 2; Varsity Cross Country 4; Key Club 3, 4; F.C.A. 2, 3, 4; Plato.



**JACK DENSON BUTTREY**

Nashville, Tennessee

Four years at B.G.A.; Jr. High Track 1; Beta Club 1; Social Committee 4; Glee Club 3, 4; N.E.D.T. Certificate 1; Greer.

**JAMES REED CROWELL, JR.**

Franklin, Tennessee

Four years at B.G.A.; CANNON BALL Staff 4; N.E.D.T. Certificate 2; Greer.

**JOHN CHRISTOPHER DODSON**

Nashville, Tennessee

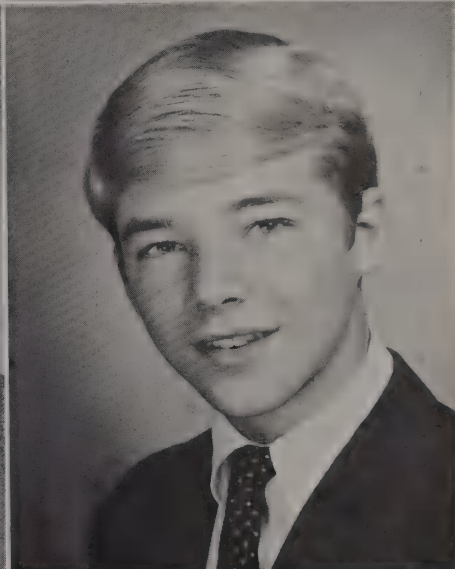
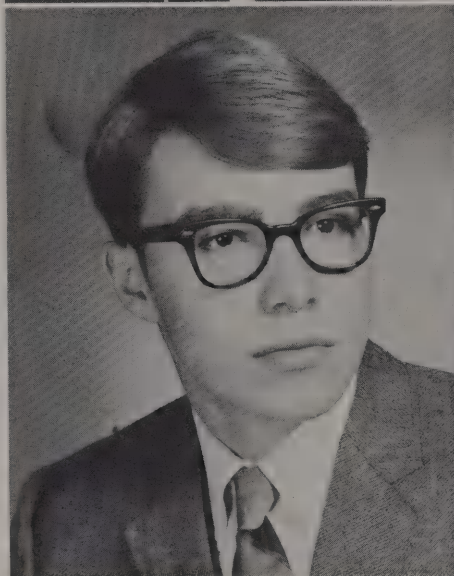
Four years at B.G.A.; President 4; Varsity Football 3, 4; B-Team Football 2; Freshman Football 1; B-Team Basketball Co-Captain 3; Key Club 3, 4; F.C.A. 1, 2, 3, 4; Social Committee 4; Speech 3, 4; Varsity Basketball Cheerleader 4; N.E.D.T. Certificate 1, 2; Secretary Greer 4.



**BUNYAN STEPHENS DUDLEY**

Nashville, Tennessee

Five years at B.G.A.; Varsity Wrestling 1, 2; Key Club 3, 4; President Key Club 4; Beta Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Social Committee 3; Wildcat Staff 3, 4; CANNON BALL Staff 3, 4; CANNON BALL Editor 4; Student Council 4; N.E.D.T. Certificate 1, 2; Outstanding Teenager of America 4; Greer.



**STEPHEN RADFORD EARLY**

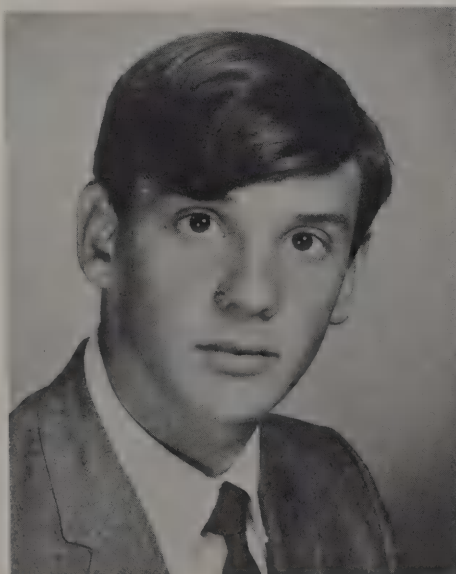
Spring Hill, Tennessee

Four years at B.G.A.; Varsity Cross Country 1; Beta Club 1, 2, 3, 4; F.C.A. 1; Wildcat Staff 4; CANNON BALL 3, 4; Speech 2, 3; Debate 2, 3; N.E.D.T. Certificate 1, 2; N.M.S.Q.T. Letter of Commendation 4; Scholarship Medal 1, 2, 3; Latin Medal 2; Plato.

**JERE GRISSIM ELLIS**

Nashville, Tennessee

Six years at B.G.A.; President 7; Sgt.-at-Arms 8; Vice-President 1; Secretary 4; Sub-Freshman Football 7, 8; Sub Freshman Basketball 8; Varsity Wrestling 3; Key Club 3, 4; Glee Club 4; Plato.



**WILL GILBERT FISHER**

Nashville, Tennessee

Four years at B.G.A.; Wrestling 3, 4; Freshman Track 1; F.C.A. 3; Greer.

**RICHARD MERLIN FRANCIS**

Nashville, Tennessee

Six years at B.G.A.; Secretary 7; Sub Freshman Football 8; Sub Freshman Basketball 7, 8; Sub Freshman Track 7, 8; Freshman Basketball 1; Freshman Track 1; B-Team Basketball 2; Varsity Basketball 3, 4; Captain 4; Varsity Tennis 2, 3, 4; Cross Country 4; F.C.A. 1, 2, 3, 4; Student Council 4; Varsity Football Cheerleader 4; Plato.





PAUL HARRISON GANT  
McMinnville, Tennessee

Four years at B.G.A.; Freshman football 1; B-Team Football 2; Varsity Baseball 1, 2, 3, 4; Plato.

DAVID SCOTT GARDNER  
Columbia, Tennessee

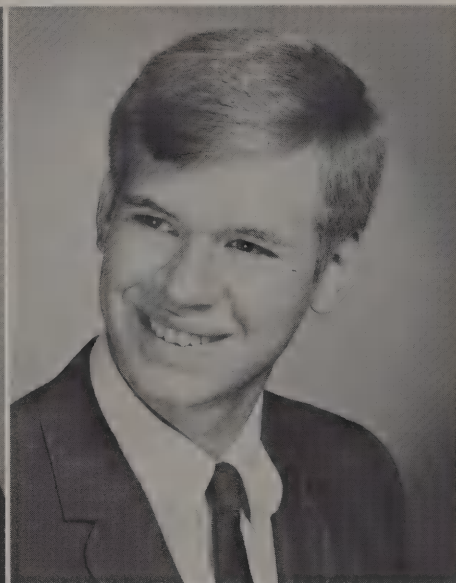
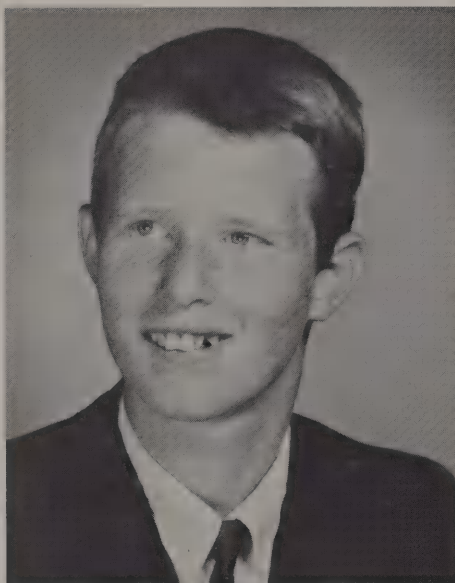
Four years at B.G.A.; Varsity Wrestling 2, 3, 4; Captain 4; Student Council 4; Key Club 3, 4; Beta Club 1, 2, 3, 4; F.C.A. 2, 3, 4; *Wildcat* Staff 3, 4; Editor 4; CANNON BALL Staff 4; Drama 4; Speech 2, 3; N.E.D.T. Certificate 1, 2; N.M.S.Q.T. Semifinalist 4; Greer.

JAMES CANNON GENTRY, JR.  
Franklin, Tennessee

Five years at B.G.A.; Sub Freshman Football 8; Freshman Football 1; Sub Freshman Basketball 8; Sub Freshman Track 8; Freshman Baseball 8; Varsity Football Manager 2, 3, 4; Plato.

ROBERT IRWIN GRAHAM  
Columbia, Tennessee

Two years at B.G.A.; Transfer—Central High School; Freshman Football 1; Pep Club 1; Varsity Wrestling 3, 4; Varsity Cross Country 4; *Wildcat* Staff 3; Plato.



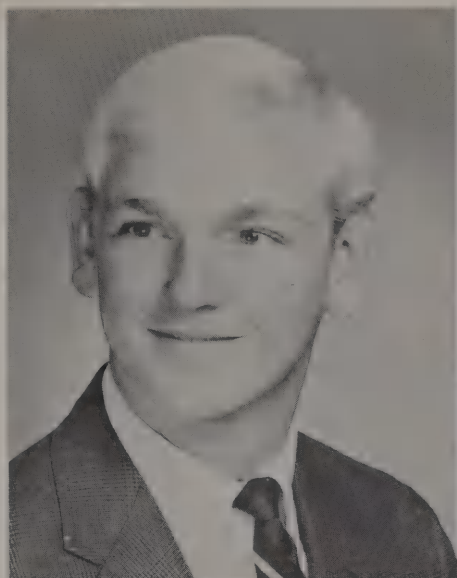
WILLIAM DALLAS HAFFNER  
Franklin, Tennessee

Four years at B.G.A.; Cross Country 4; N.E.D.T. Certificate 1, 2; Latin Award 3; Greer.

TRUMAN HARPER, JR.  
Franklin, Tennessee

Four years at B.G.A.; Freshman Football 1; Freshman Basketball 1; Freshman Track 1; Varsity Basketball 3, 4; Varsity Track 2, 3, 4; F.C.A. 1, 2, 3, 4; Greer.

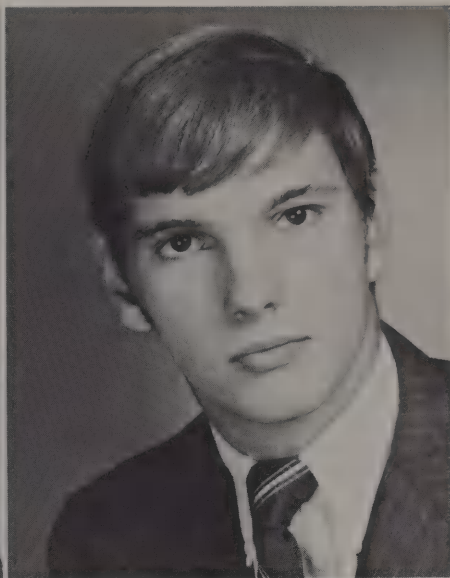




# **HUGH EDWIN HASTY**

Shelbyville, Tennessee

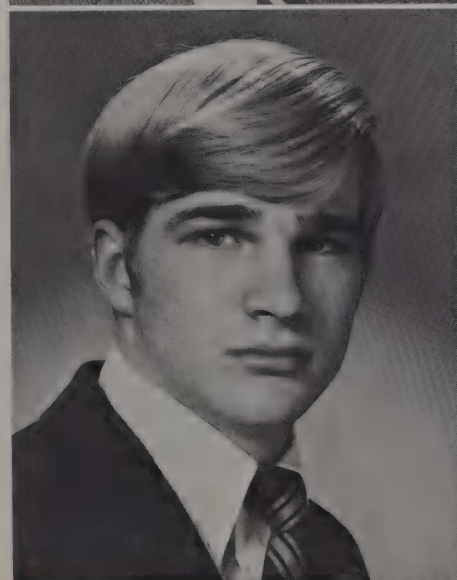
Two years at B.G.A.; Transfer—Shelbyville Central High; Freshman Football 1; Wildcat Staff 4; CANNON BALL Staff 4; Drama 4; Speech 4; N.E.D.T. Certificate 1, 2; Plato.



# **ROBERT CLARK HENRY**

Pulaski, Tennessee

Four years at B.G.A.; Varsity Cross Country 4; Social Committee 1, 2, 3, 4; Proctor 4; Greer.



# **LEONARD EDWARDS HERRINGTON**

Nashville, Tennessee

Four years at B.G.A.; Secretary 1; Treasurer 3; Sgt.-at-Arms 2; Varsity Football 2, 3; Freshman Football Co-Captain 1; Freshman Basketball 1; Freshman Track 1; F.C.A. 1, 2; Plato.



# **STEPHEN EDWARD HORN**

Nashville, Tennessee

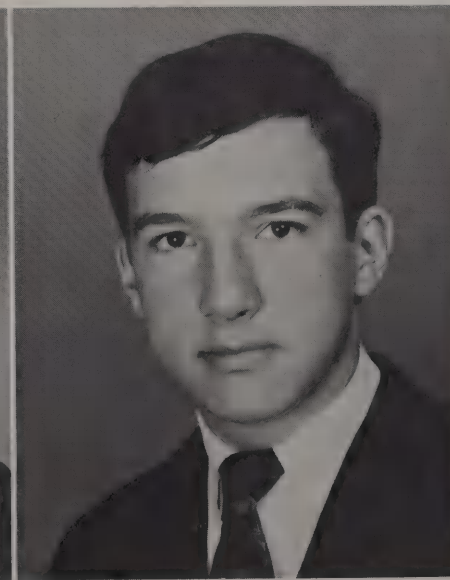
Four years at B.G.A.; B-Team Basketball 3; Varsity Tennis 1, 2, 3, 4; F.C.A. 1, 2, 3, 4; Social Committee 2, 3, 4; CANNON BALL Staff 4; Drama 4; Speech 3, 4; Varsity Basketball Cheerleader 4; Vice-President Platos 4.



# **JOSH HUFFMAN**

Shelbyville, Tennessee

Three years at B.G.A.; Transfer—Shelbyville Central High School; Class President 1; Freshman Football 1; Freshman Basketball 1; Key Club 1; Student Council 1; B-Team Football 2, 3; Varsity Football 4; Varsity Golf 2, 3, 4; Key Club 4; F.C.A. 2, 3, 4; Social Committee 4; Drama 4; Speech 3, 4; Boys State 3; Greer.



# **LELAND CLARK HUME**

Franklin, Tennessee

Four years at B.G.A.; Freshman Football 1; Cross Country 4; F.C.A. 1, 2, 3, 4; Social Committee 3, 4; Wildcat Staff 3; N.E.D.T. Certificate 2; Greer.



**MICHAEL LINELL ISAACSON**

Lewisburg, Tennessee

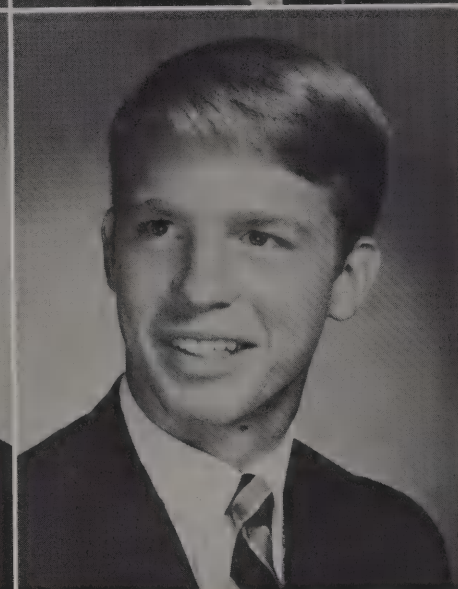
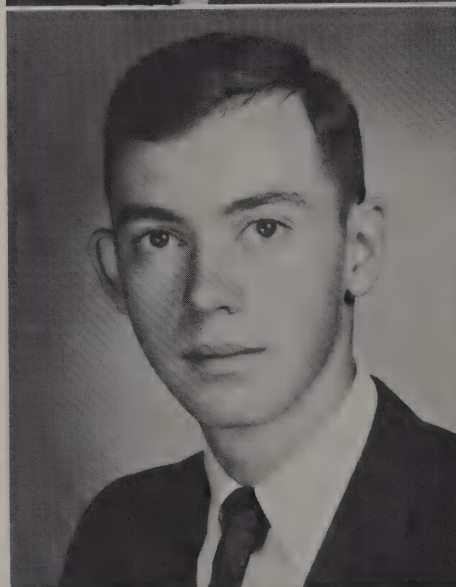
Two years at B.G.A.; Transfer—Marshall County High School; Newspaper Staff 1, 2; Student Council Representative 3; Beta Club 1, 2, 3; B-Team Basketball 2; Wrestling 4; Cross Country 4; F.C.A. 4; *Wildcat Staff* 4; N.E.D.T. Certificate 2; Proctor 4; Greer.



**RICHARD GENE KATZOFF**

Nashville, Tennessee

Five years at B.G.A.; Key Club 3, 4; Beta Club 1, 2, 3, 4; CANNON BALL Staff 3, 4; CANNON BALL Editor 4; Varsity Football Cheerleader 4; Social Committee 3; *Wildcat Staff* 4; Math Contest 1, 2, 3; N.E.D.T. Certificate 1, 2; N.M.S.Q.T. Letter of Commendation 4; Plato.



**DWIGHT ELTON LANIER**

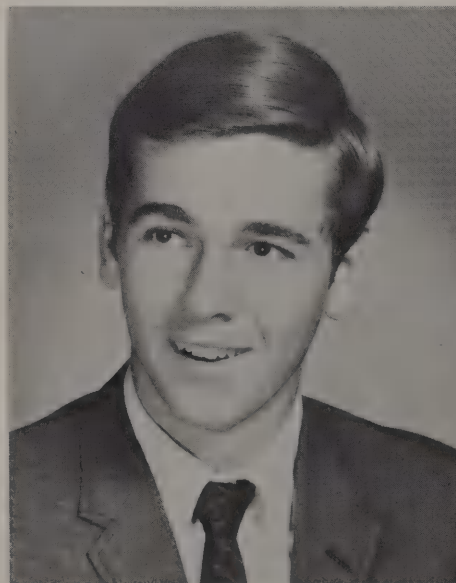
Brentwood, Tennessee

Three years at B.G.A.; Transfer—Hillsboro High School; B Team Football 2; B-Team Basketball 3; Varsity Track 3; Key Club 4; Senior Director 4; F.C.A. 3, 4; N.E.D.T. Certificate 2; Greer.

**JOHN NAPIER LEE**

Duplex, Tennessee

Four years at B.G.A.; Secretary 2, 3; Freshman Football 1; Varsity Football 2, 3; Sub-fresh Football Coach 4; Freshman Basketball 1; Freshman Track 1; Varsity Track 2, 3, 4; Cross Country 4; Captain 4; Key Club 3, 4; Secretary 4; Beta Club 2, 3, 4; F.C.A. 1, 2, 3, 4; Secretary 4; N.E.D.T. Certificate 2; Sertoma Club Outstanding Teenager of the Month 4; Plato.



**MALCOLM RICHARD LEWIS**

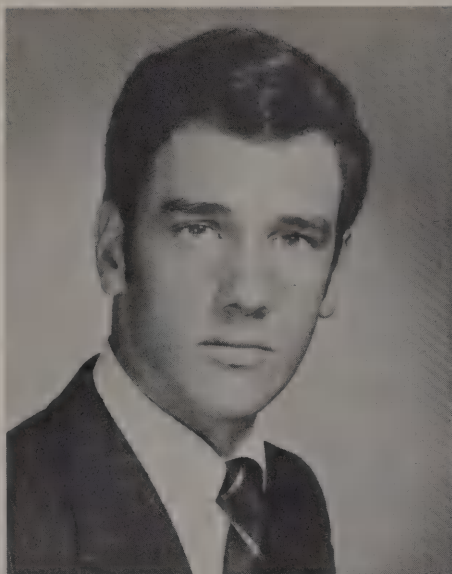
Nashville, Tennessee

Six years at B.G.A.; Secretary 8; Sub-fresh Football 8; B-Team Basketball 3; Alternate Captain 3; Sub-fresh Basketball 7, 8; Sub-fresh Track 7, 8; Cross Country 4; Tennis 1, 2, 3, 4; Key Club 4; Beta Club 1, 2, 3, 4; F.C.A. 1, 2, 3, 4; Social Committee 4; Varsity Football and Basketball Cheerleader 4; N.E.D.T. Certificate 1, 2; Greer.

**JOHN GRIFF LUCAS**

Waverly, Tennessee

Five years at B.G.A.; Varsity Wrestling 1, 2, 3, 4; Varsity Cross Country 4; Varsity Golf 2, 3, 4; Speech 1, 2; N.E.D.T. Certificate 2; Greer.



**WILLIAM EDWARD MCLEOD, JR.**

Nashville, Tennessee

Five years at B.G.A.; Freshman Football 1; Freshman Basketball 1; B-Team Football 2; Beta Club 1, 2, 3, 4; F.C.A. 1, 2, 3; Social Committee 3, 4; *Wildcat* Staff 4; CANNON BALL Staff 4; N.E.D.T. Certificate 1, 2; Plato.

**LEWIS LYNN MADDUX**

Nashville, Tennessee

Four years at B.G.A.; Freshman Football 1; Varsity Swimming 1, 2, 3; F.C.A. 1, 2; Social Committee 2, 3, 4; *Wildcat* Staff 3; Greer.

**MARSHALL MORGAN**

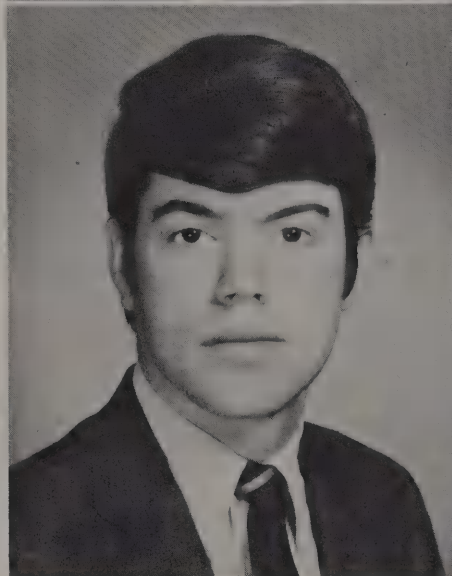
Franklin, Tennessee

Four years at B.G.A.; *Wildcat* Staff 4; F.C.A. 2, 3; N.E.D.T. Certificate 1, 2; N.M.S.Q.T. Semifinalist 4; Greer.

**PAUL ALAN MUNCY**

Nashville, Tennessee

Six years at B.G.A.; President 3; Treasurer 2; Sub-fresh Football 7, 8; Freshman Football 1; B-Team Football 2; Varsity Football 3, 4; Sub-fresh Basketball 7, 8; Freshman Basketball 1; B-Team Basketball 3; Co-Captain 3; Varsity Baseball 1, 2, 3, 4; Sub-fresh Track 7, 8; Freshman Track 1; Student Council Vice-President 4; Key Club 3, 4; Junior director 3; Beta Club 1, 2, 3, 4; F.C.A. 1, 2, 3, 4; President 4; CANNON BALL Staff 4; Business Manager 4; Varsity Basketball Cheerleader 4; N.E.D.T. Certificate 1, 2; N.M.S.Q.T. Finalist 4; Sewanee Club Award 3; Outstanding Teenager of America 4; Plato.



**ANDREW CECIL OLIVER**

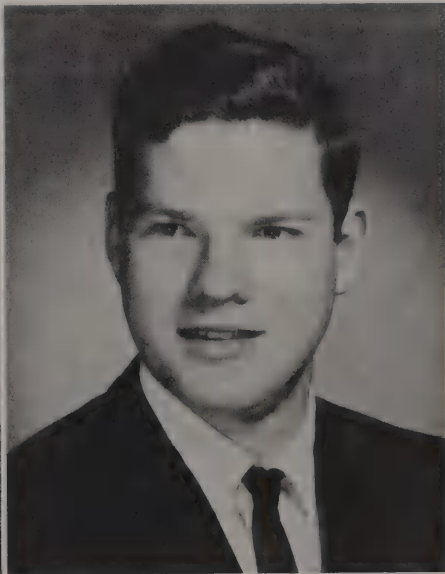
Proctor, Arkansas

Three years at B.G.A.; Transfer—Memphis University School; Freshman Football 1; B-Team Football 2; Varsity Football 3, 4; Varsity Wrestling 2, 3, 4; F.C.A. 3, 4; N.E.D.T. Certificate 1, 2; Greer.

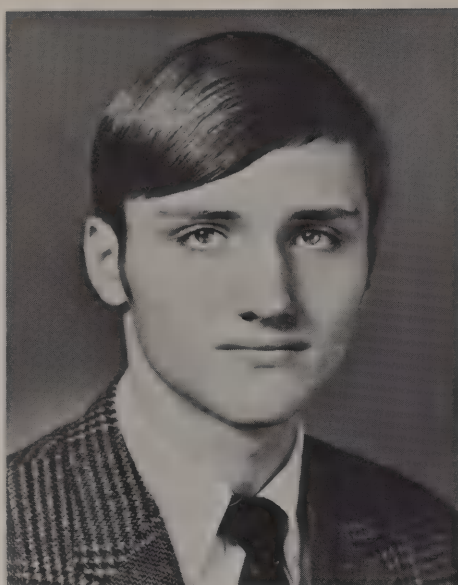
**KENNETH MARVIN PEERCY**

Franklin, Tennessee

Six years at B.G.A.; Sub-fresh Basketball 7; Varsity Track 3; Greer.



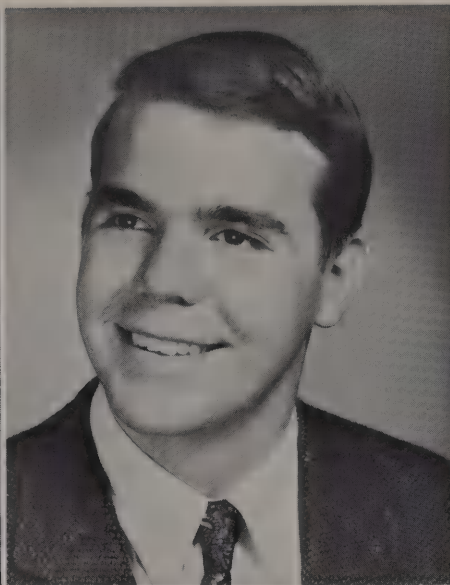




**JAMES MONTGOMERY POWELL**

Vienna, West Virginia

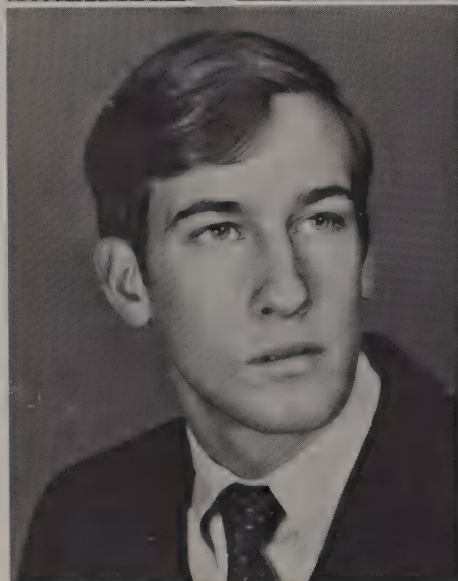
Three years at B.G.A.; Transfer—Springfield High School; B-Team Football 3; Varsity Swimming 4; Varsity Track 4; Varsity Cross Country 4; F.C.A. 3, 4; Plato.



**TIMOTHY LEE POWERS**

Nashville, Tennessee

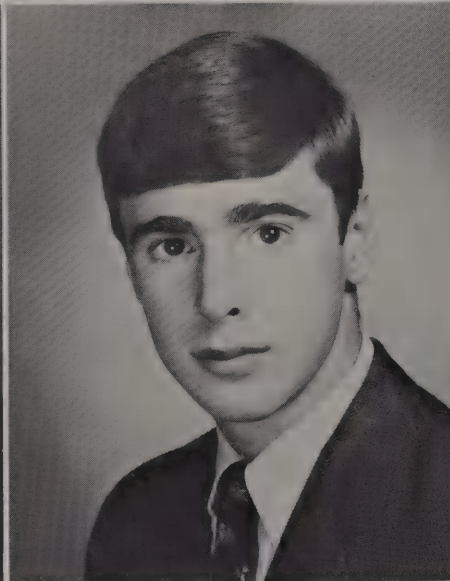
Six years at B.G.A.; President 8; Vice-President 7; Sgt.-at-Arms 4; B-Team Football 2; Sub-frosh Football 7, 8; Sub-frosh Basketball 7, 8; B-Team Basketball 2; Varsity Basketball 3, 4; Varsity Baseball 1, 2, 3, 4; Sub-frosh Track 7, 8; Varsity Cross Country 4; Key Club 3, 4; F.C.A. 1, 2, 3, 4; Social Committee 4; Varsity Football Cheerleader 4; Greer.



**KIRBY ODEN PRIMM, JR.**

Nashville, Tennessee

Five years at B.G.A.; Sub-frosh Football 8; Freshman Football 1; B-Team Football 2; Sub-frosh Basketball 8; Sub-frosh Track 8; Social Committee 3, 4; Speech 2, 3; Plato.



**CHARLES EDWARD ROBERTS, JR.**

Lewisburg, Tennessee

Three Years at B.G.A.; B-Team Football 3; Varsity Baseball 2, 3, 4; Varsity Cross Country 4; Key Club 3, 4; F.C.A. 2, 3, 4; Social Committee 3; Greer.

**MARK THOMAS SCANTLEBURY**

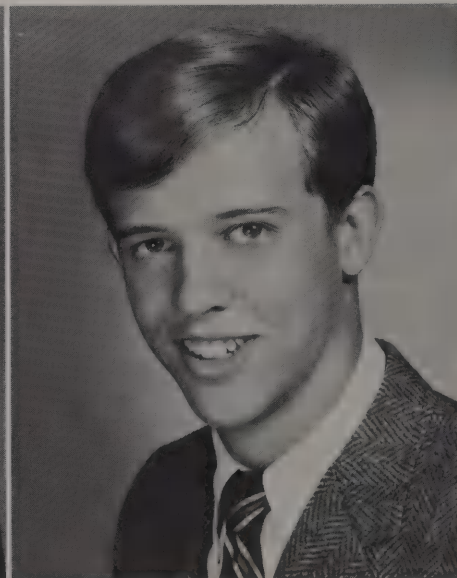
Nashville, Tennessee

Two years at B.G.A.; Transfer—Hillwood High School; Varsity Swimming 1, 3, 4; Freshman Track 1; Varsity Track 2; Varsity Cross Country 4; Key Club 3, 4; F.C.A. 3, 4; Speech 3; Junior Classical League 2; Citizenship Award 1; Student Council 1; Sgt.-at-Arms; Plato.

**WALTER ROBERT SELPH**

Nashville, Tennessee

Four years at B.G.A.; Treasurer 4; Wrestling 1, 2; Track 3; Key Club 3, 4; Social Committee 3, 4; CANNON BALL Staff 4; N.E.D.T. Certificate 1, 2; Greer.



**JOHN ROLAND SIMPSON**

Burns, Tennessee

Two years at B.G.A.; Transfer—Hillwood High School; Student Council 2; Junior Classical League 1, 2; National Latin Exam Award 2; Cross Country 4; F.C.A. 3, 4; *Wildcat* Staff 3, 4; Varsity Football Cheerleader 4; N.E.D.T. Certificate 2; N.M.S.Q.T. Letter of Commendation 4; Greer.



**MURREY THOMAS TAYLOR III**

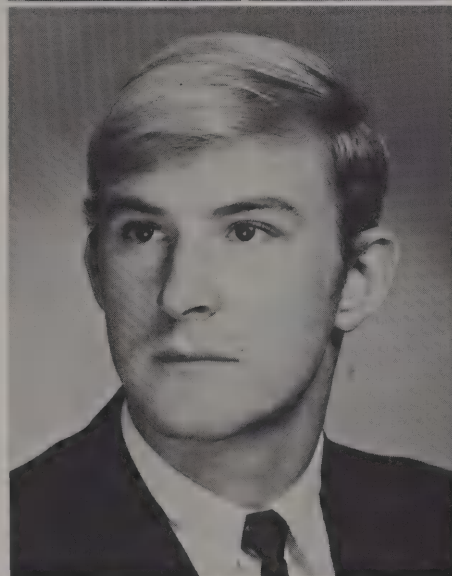
Fairview, Tennessee

Four years at B.G.A.; *Wildcat* Staff 2, 3; Social Committee 3; Plato.

**ROBERT DOUGLAS THOMPSON**

Columbia, Tennessee

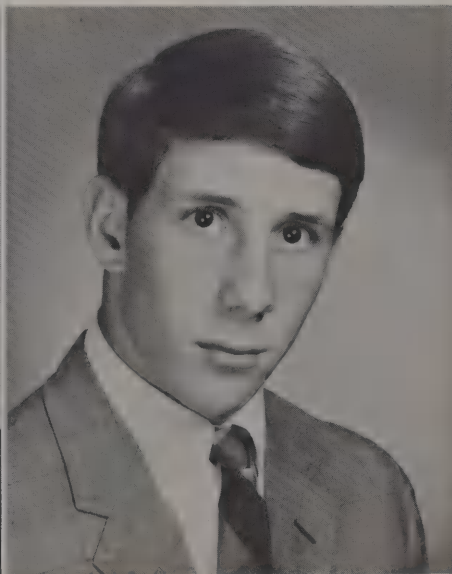
Three years at B.G.A.; Transfer—Columbia High School; Vice-President 1; Freshman Football 1; Freshman Track 1; Varsity Football 2, 3, 4; B-Team Football 2, 3; Co-captain 3; Varsity Wrestling 4; Varsity Track 2, 4; F.C.A. 2, 3; N.E.D.T. Certificate 1, 2; Greer Sgt.-at-Arms.



**THOMAS CALDWELL WEST**

Franklin, Tennessee

Four years at B.G.A.; Varsity Football 3; Freshman Basketball 1; N.E.D.T. Certificate 1; Plato.



**JOHN WALLACE WHITEMAN**

Nashville, Tennessee

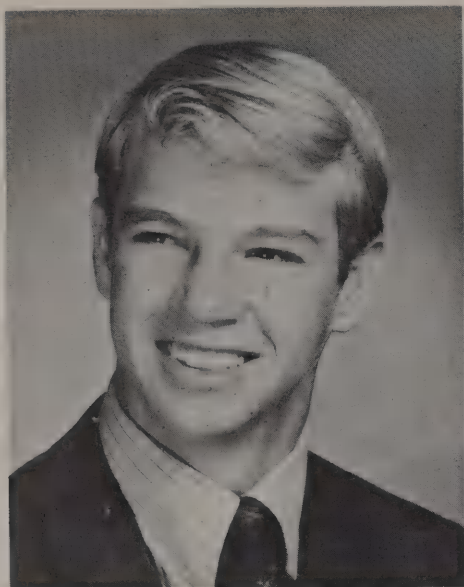
Five years at B.G.A.; Sgt.-at-Arms 8; Freshman Football 1; Sub-Freshman Football 8; B-Team Football 2; Sub-Freshman Basketball 8; Freshman Basketball 1; Jr. High Track 8, 1; Greer.

**MICHAEL DELWIN WILLIAMS**

Columbia, Tennessee

Three years at B.G.A.; Transfer—Columbia High School; President 1; Freshman Football 1; Freshman Track 1; Vice-President 4; Sgt.-at-Arms 3; Varsity Football 3, 4; Captain 4; B-Team Football Co-Captain 2; Varsity Track 3, 4; F.C.A. 3; Plato President.





# **JAMES WILLARD WITHERSPOON**

Nashville, Tennessee

Six years at B.G.A.; Sgt.-at-Arms 7; Treasurer 8; Sub-Freshman Football 7, 8; Sub Freshman Basketball 7, 8; Freshman Basketball 1; B-Team Basketball 2; Varsity Basketball 3, 4; Varsity Baseball 1, 2; Sub-Freshman Track 7; Cross Country 4; Varsity Golf 3, 4; Key Club 3, 4; Beta Club 1, 2, 3, 4; F.C.A. 1, 2, 3, 4; Social Committee 3; CANNON BALL staff 4; Varsity Football Cheerleader 3, 4; N.E.D.T. Certificate; Plato.

# **BOBBY LYNN WRIGHT**

Lynnville, Tennessee

Four years at B.G.A.; Varsity Football Mgr. 2, 3, 4; Varsity Wrestling Mgr. 1, 2, 3; F.C.A. 1, 2, 3, 4; Dorm Proctor 4; Greer.

## *The Class of 1970...*



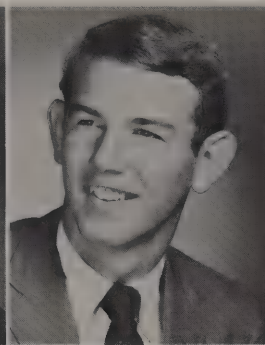
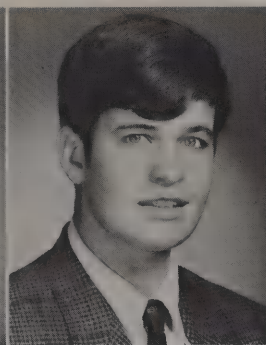
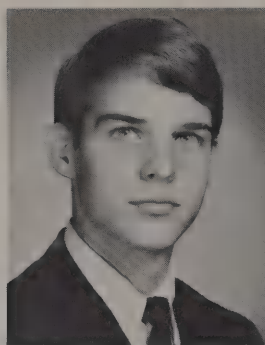
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Robert Atwood

Jim Beesley

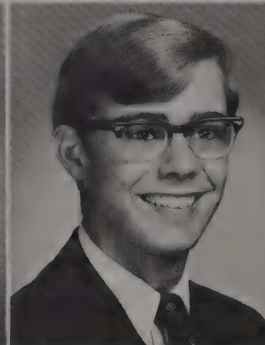
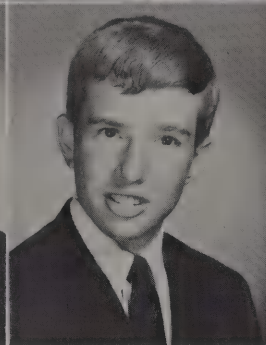
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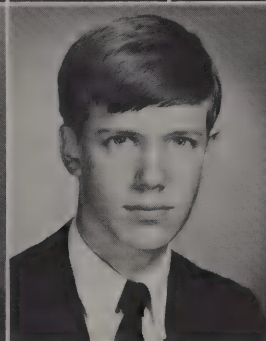
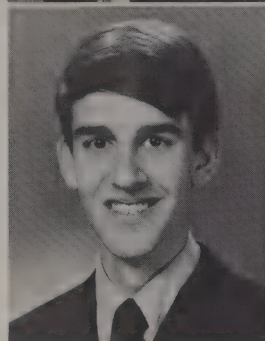
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Gary Clement



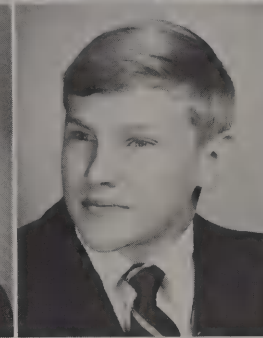
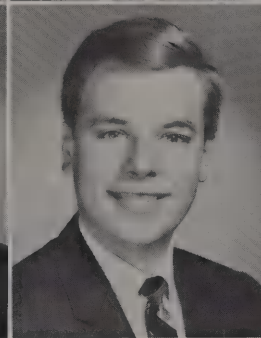
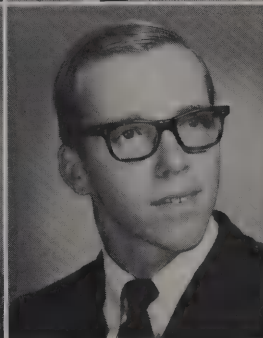
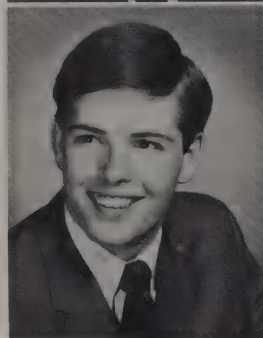
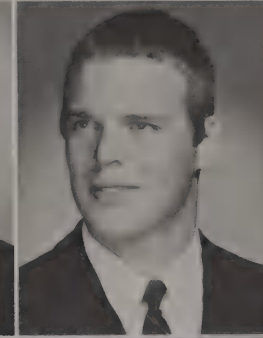
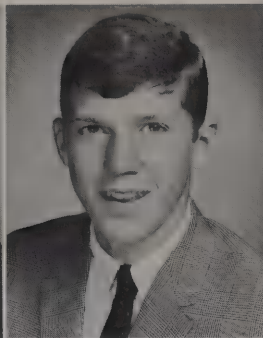
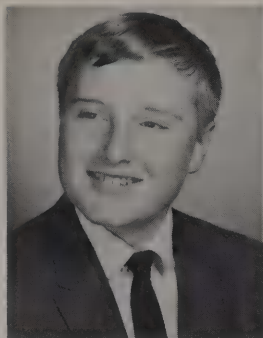
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Houston Crozier



Alec Dryden

Ralph Duke



Richard Dunavant  
Dan Gentry

Willie Earls  
John Givens

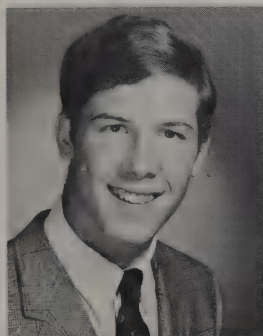
Steve Faust  
Steve Glenn

Winston Gant  
Barry Goodman

Allen Gentry  
Joe Gordon

Nate Greene  
Steve Harris

Carter Harlin  
Tommy Harwell



*Self-explanatory.*





Sam Hollins

Jack Howser

Brad Hutchison

George Irion

Bo Johnson

Jim King

Ted Lee

Jim Livingstone

*Only her hairdresser knows for sure.*



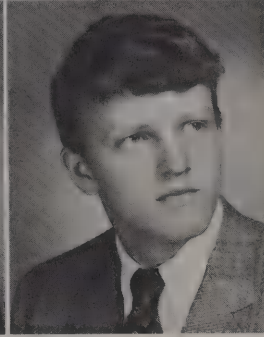
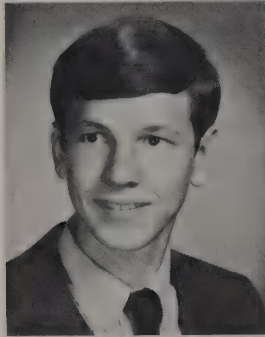
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Bob McClanahan

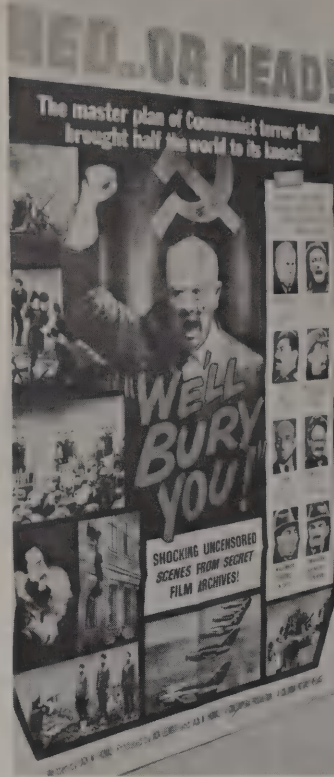
Roger McCullough





Jerry McGinnis  
Tommy Magli

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Dan Milam



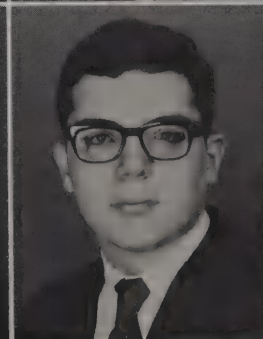
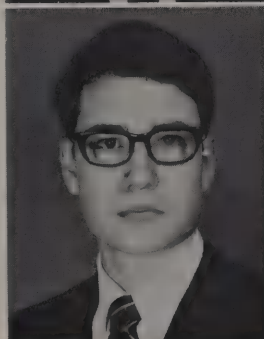
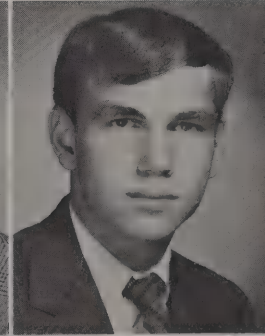
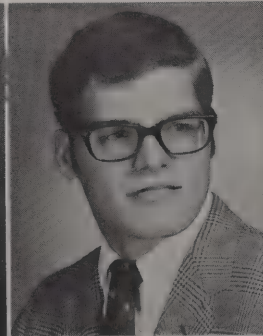
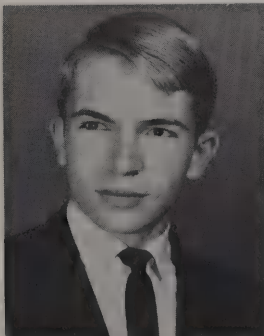
*"Another knock and run."*

Tom Miner  
Jerry Muntz

Sterling Minor  
Vance Ormes

Jimmy Moore  
Tommy Price

David Morris  
Ronnie Rochelle







Chris Ross

Mark Schwartz

Dowell Smith

Tommy Smith

Bob Smithson

Hanes Sparkman

Dale Stephens

Ed Uthman

Dabney Walt



*Seniors demonstrate technique to inexperienced underclassmen.*

## *The Class of 1971...*



Treasurer John Woodfin, Vice-President Houston Moran, President Brad Thomason, Secretary Bob Armistead, Sergeant-at-Arms Charlie Haffner





Baily Allen  
George Armistead  
John Brown

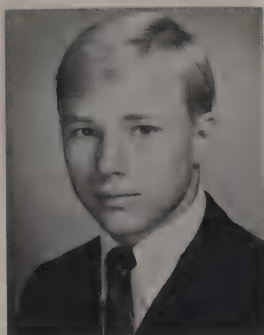
Henry Ambrose  
John Boyd  
Don Cameron

Billy Anderson  
Ed Branding  
Mark Coomer

Bob Armistead  
Randy Bratton  
Milton Crowell



*What firecracker?  
What room?*



Alan Duke

Doug Early



*"Fiddlesticks!"*

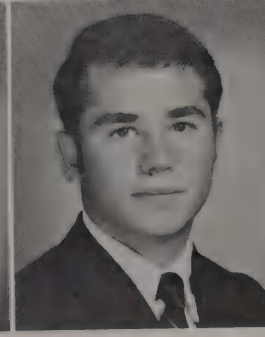
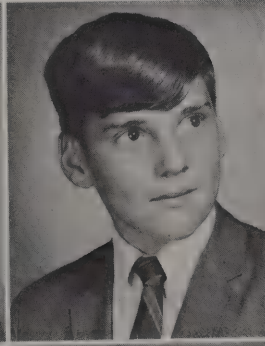
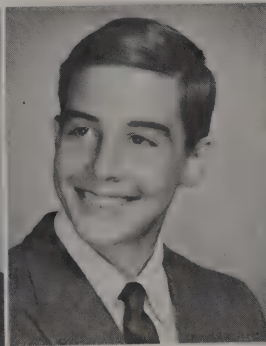
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Joseph Gabard

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Randy Goldstein

Jay Franks  
Ray Grigsby

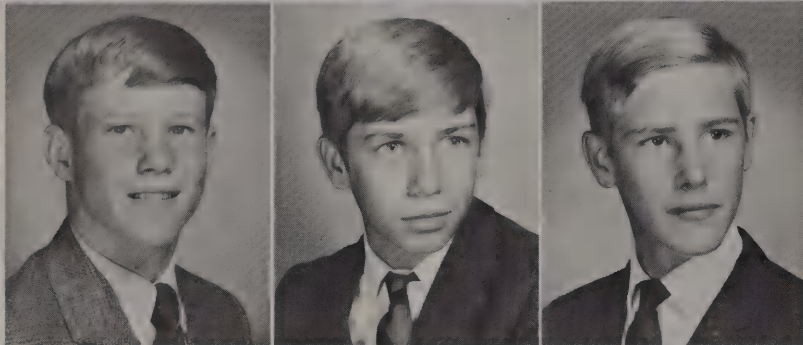
Frederick Funte  
Charlie Haffner



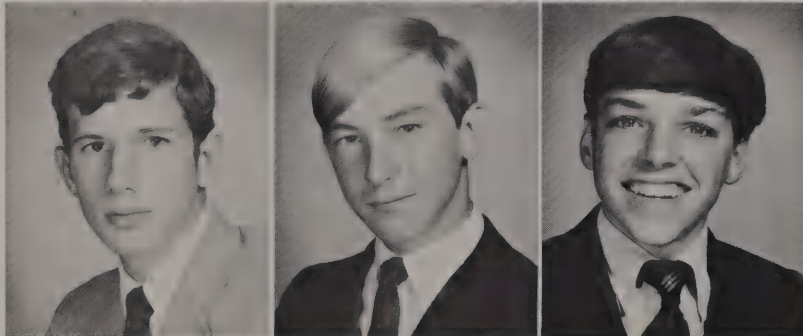




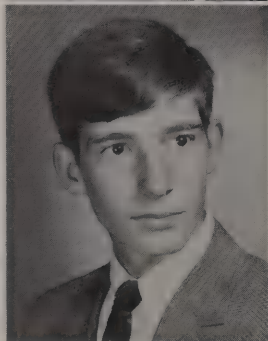
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John Harper  
Jeff Hoover



Tommy Hudson  
Mayes Hume  
John Ingold



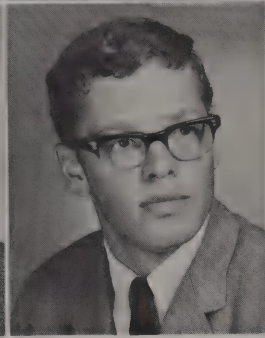
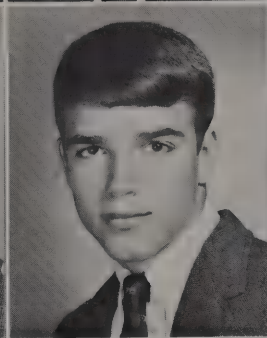
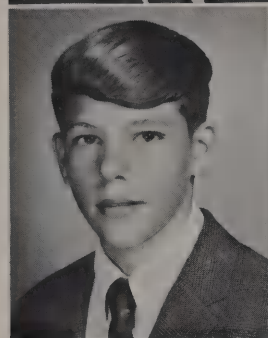
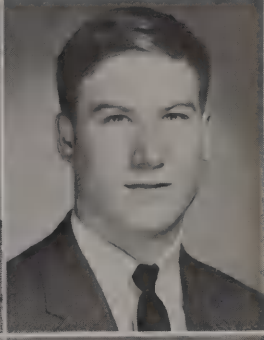
Bill Jones  
Joey Kestner  
Thomas Lackey



Bill Lawrie  
John Lykins



*Extracurricular literary pursuits.*



Charlie McCabe  
Dolph Mayer

Buddy McDaniel  
Houston Moran

Gerard MacDonald  
Lee Morrison

Tommy McMillin  
Bram Neil

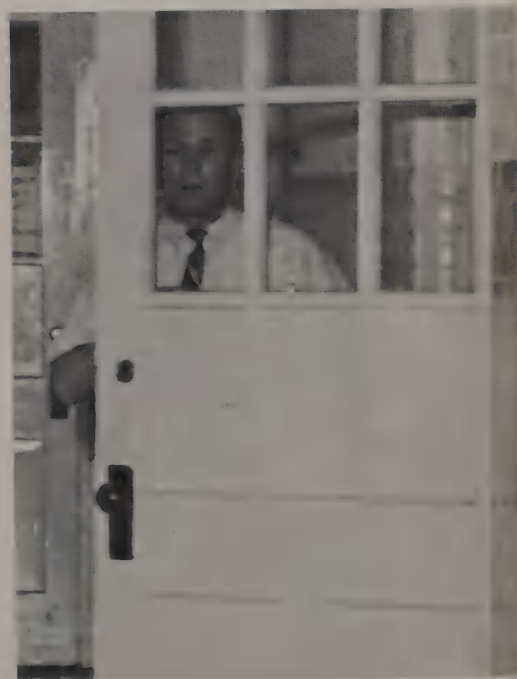
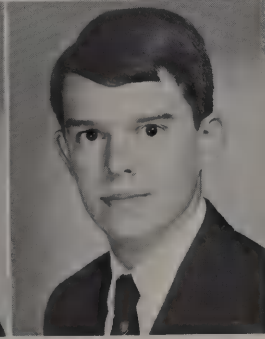
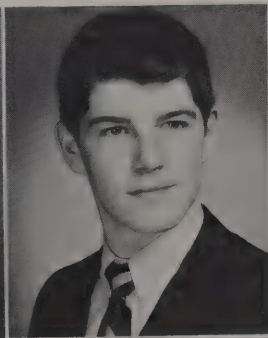
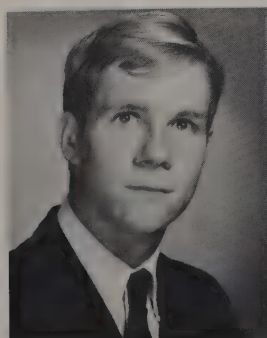
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Rick Philpot

John Phipps  
Bobby Rogers

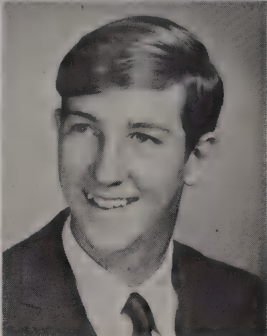
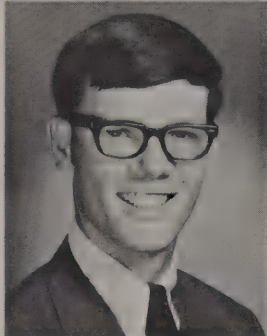
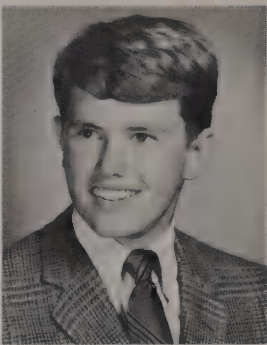
Webb Powers  
Victor Routenberg

Rick Quarles  
Phillip Rush

*"Okay, boys, you can put me down now."*







Stack Scoville

Bill Smith

Meridith Shannon

Turner Snodgrass



*You should have seen that Moola-moola man!*

Scott Sutherland

Bill Wall

Brad Thomason

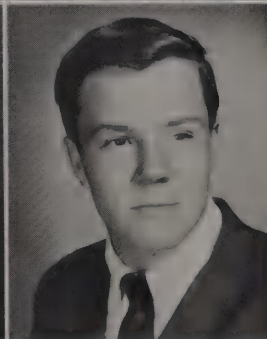
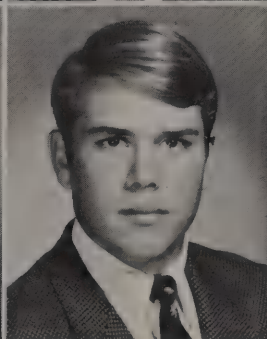
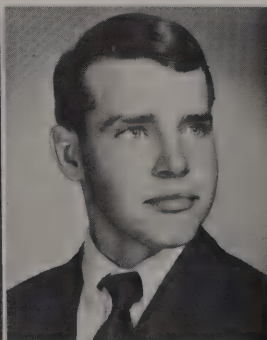
Ham Wallace

Bill Tichenor

Charlie Warfield

Ben Wagner

John Woodfin





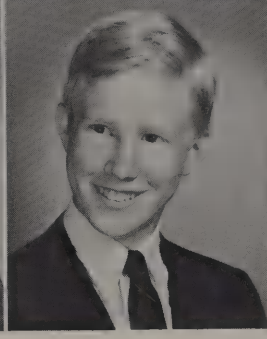
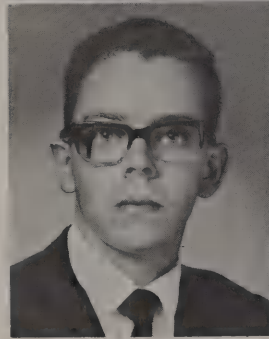
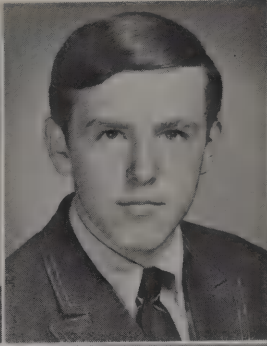
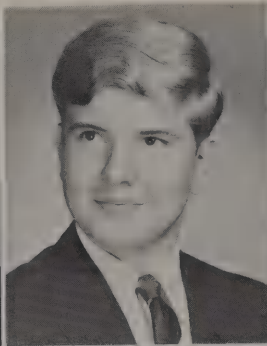
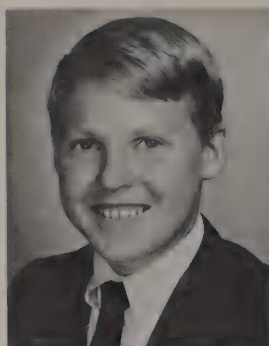
## *The Class of 1972...*

President Jon Kinnard

Secretary Alan Duley, Treasurer Jack Lawrence, Vice-President David Rader, Sergeant-at-Arms Jim Harrison







Hugh Anderson  
Mark Beeler

Ron Anderson  
Walt Bentley

Edward Asger  
Currell Berry

Ricky Ball  
Will Berry

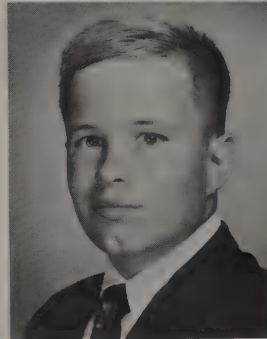
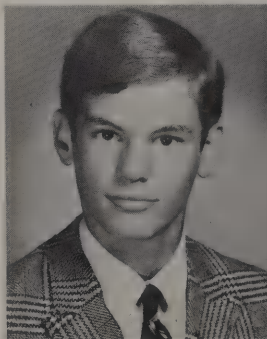
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William Billington

*Shine on Harvest Moon.*



Trey Boyd  
Mike Brown

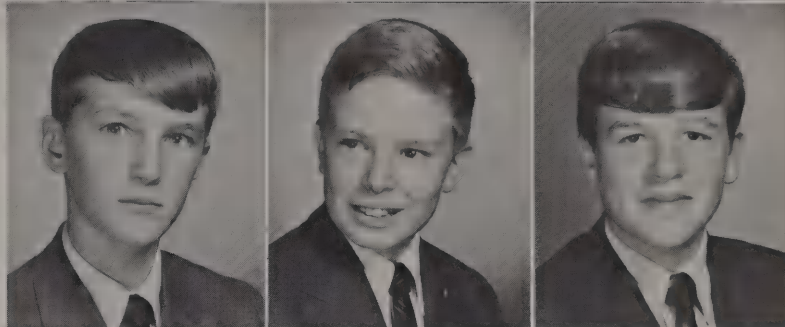
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David Buntin



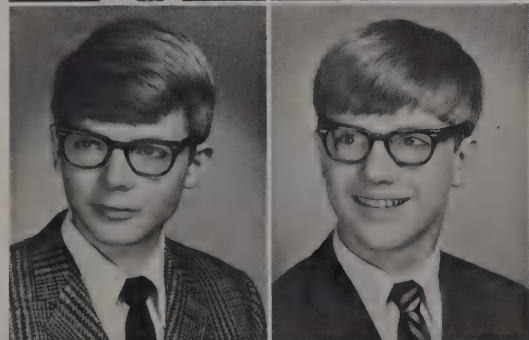
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Allen Cargile



Scotty Chaffin  
Bush Cole  
Chad Core



Donald Cowan  
Lance Crawford



Don Cunningham  
Granny Dale

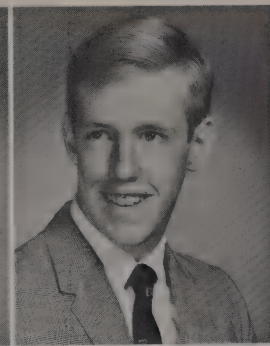


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Mark Davis

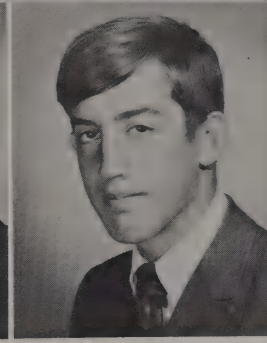
*"But Mr. Patterson said I could."*







Joel Denbo  
Scott Dixon  
Trey Doak  
Sammy Duke



Alan Duley  
Tom Duncan  
Charlie Feldhaus  
Charles Gore

"Boy, those pillows sure  
are hard."



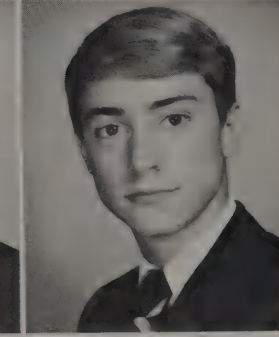
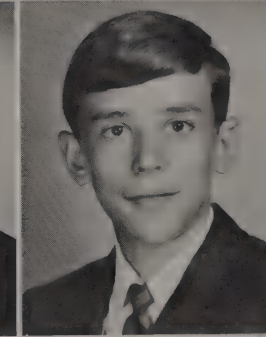
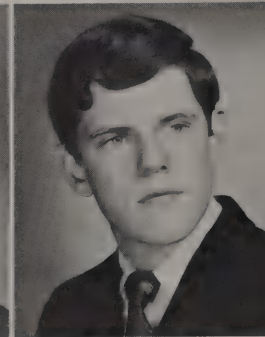
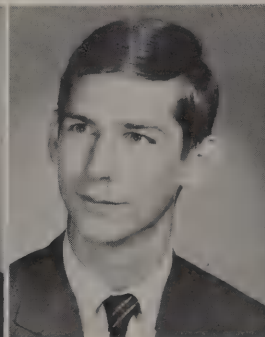
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Jimmy Graham

Wes Green

Lee Grigsby

Clay Harlin



*David Gore*

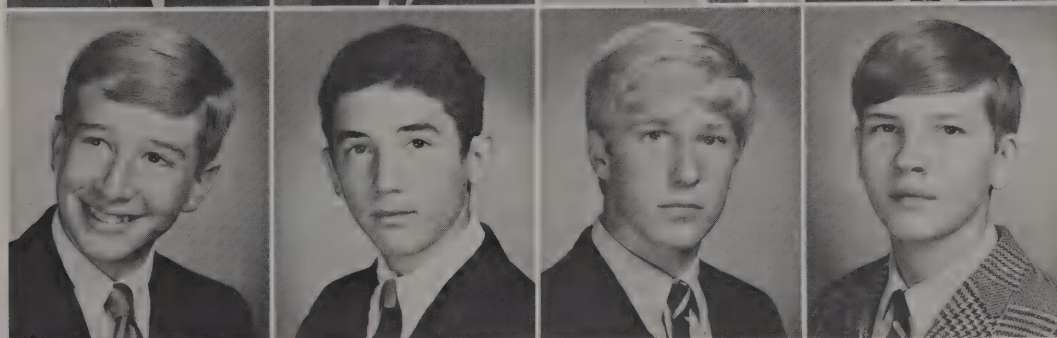
*(Rick) It's been great having you in my  
class. I hope to have you in the next year.  
Take care this summer and stay out  
of trouble (your friend Clay)*



Jim Harrison  
Jeffrey Haynes  
Bryce Hickey  
Tom Hill



Jon Hinkle  
Henry Holden  
Jeff Hunter  
Doug Jackson



Kurt Jeter  
Chip Jones  
Jon Kinnard  
Jackie Knox



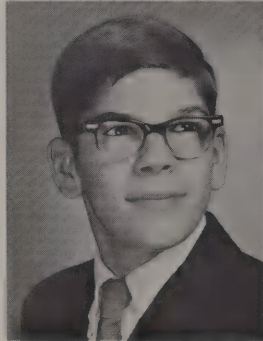
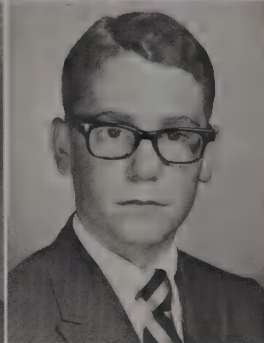
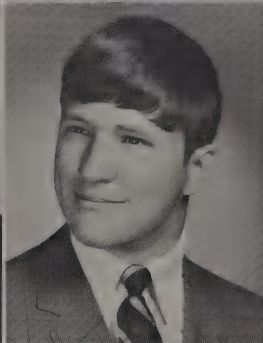
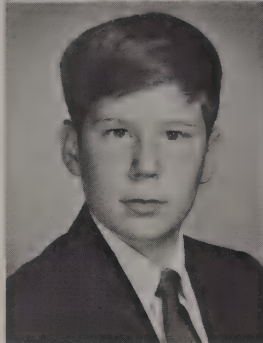
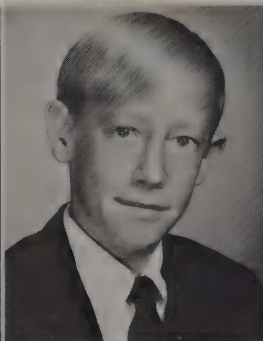
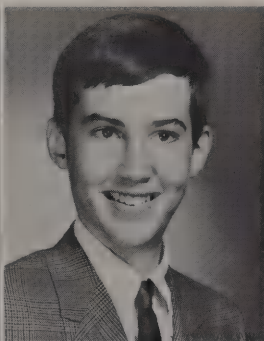
Jack Lawrence  
Gus Lott  
Steve McGinnis



Jim McKay  
Kenny McLaughlin  
Brank McLean



*Rick, been  
a good year. Have  
fun this summer.  
B.O. To  
Bill*



David McMillen

Mark Miller

Jay Nordyke

Ed Manning

Billy Mitchell

Joe Obucina

Ricky Marlin

Bill Moench

Bob Ogles

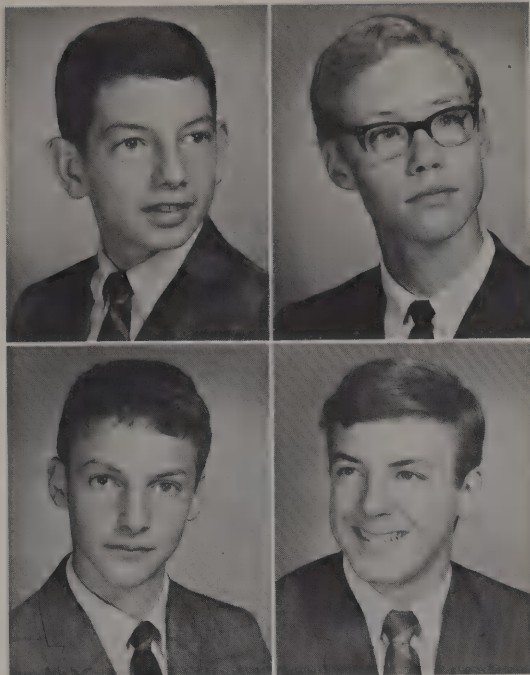
Eddie Martin

Bill Mott

Danny Ozburn



*"Saturday school  
can be the big-  
gest bore."*



Johnnie Pewitt  
Frank Puryear

Phillip Porch  
David Rader



*The Grinch that stole Christmas!*

West Reid  
Steve Scoville

Joe Rodgers  
Kevin Simonton

Pierre Rogers  
Lee Smith

Bob Ross  
Stephen Smith



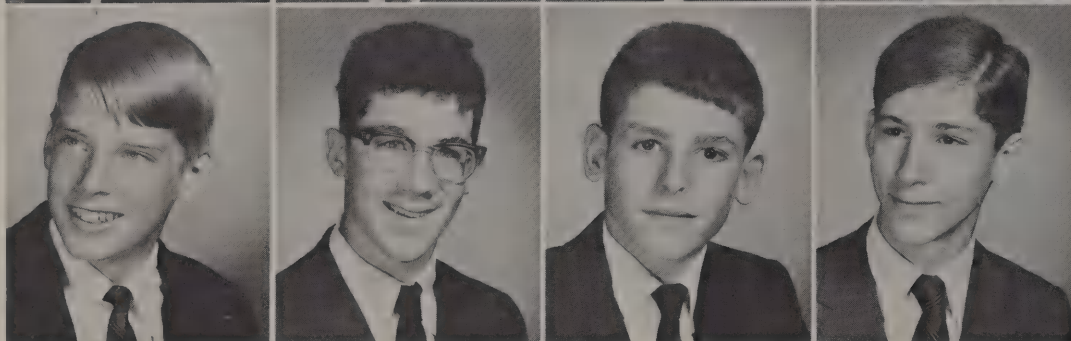




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Tommy Stephenson  
John Stone  
Bob Sutton

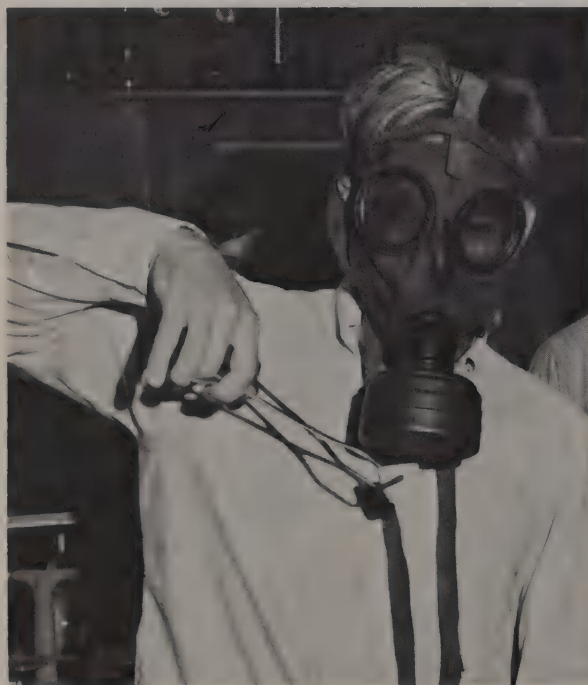


Ken Swann  
John Talton  
Al Thomas  
Maben Thompson



Buck Tune  
Jeff Vining  
Sam Wauford  
Sam Weiland

*Hit the windows—it's the phosphorous pentoxide.*



David Whiteman  
Marc Williams

Jack Witherspoon  
Parker Wright



## *The Class of 1973...*



President Mark Leland, Vice-President Howdy Lee, Treasurer Bob Gentry, Sergeant-at-Arms Wade Robinson, Secretary Jere Pewitt

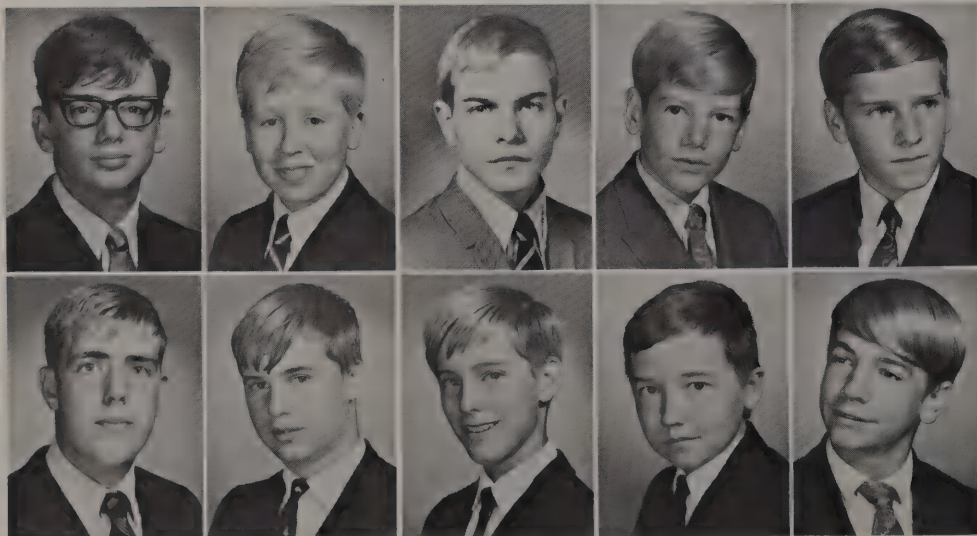




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Gil Bubis	Lenny Bubis	Tim Cameron
Tommy Cameron	Bill Campbell	Jay Carey

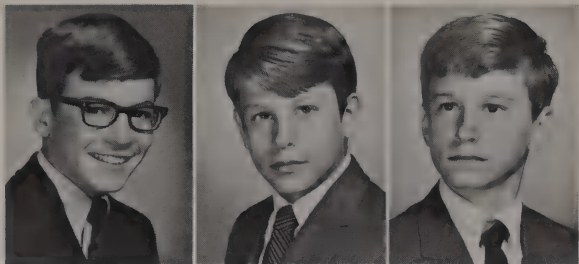


*Seniors clean up recreation room.*

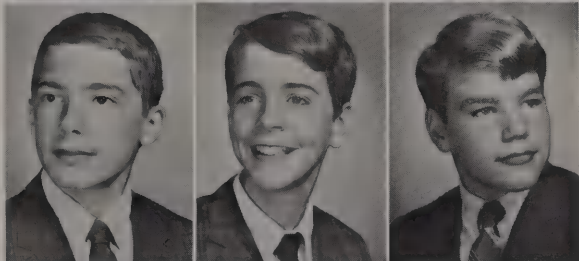


John Cowan  
Lee Ellis  
Sam Farrar  
Webb Follin  
Horton Frank

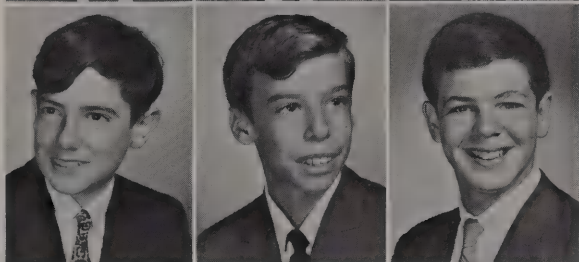
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Mitch Grissim  
Curtis Haga  
Mark Jenkins



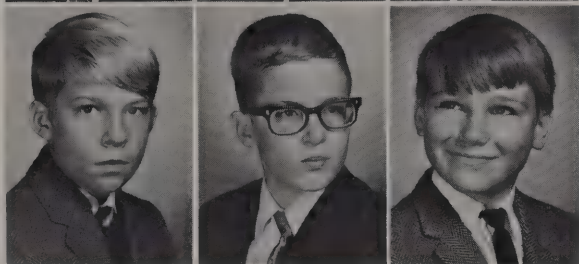
Howdy Lee  
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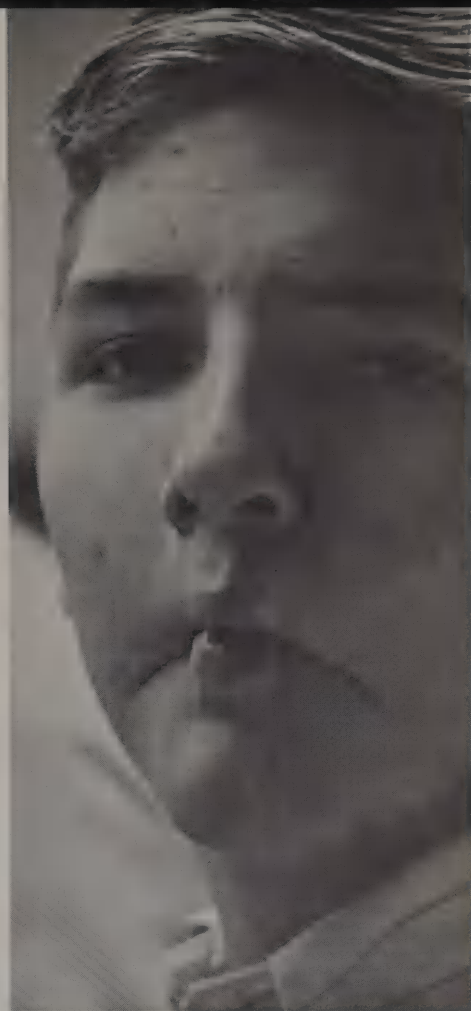
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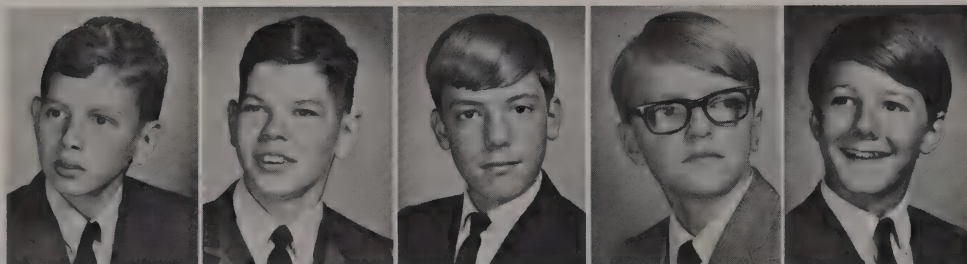
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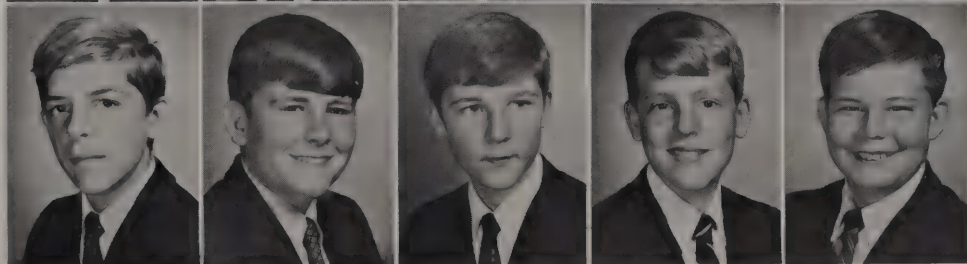
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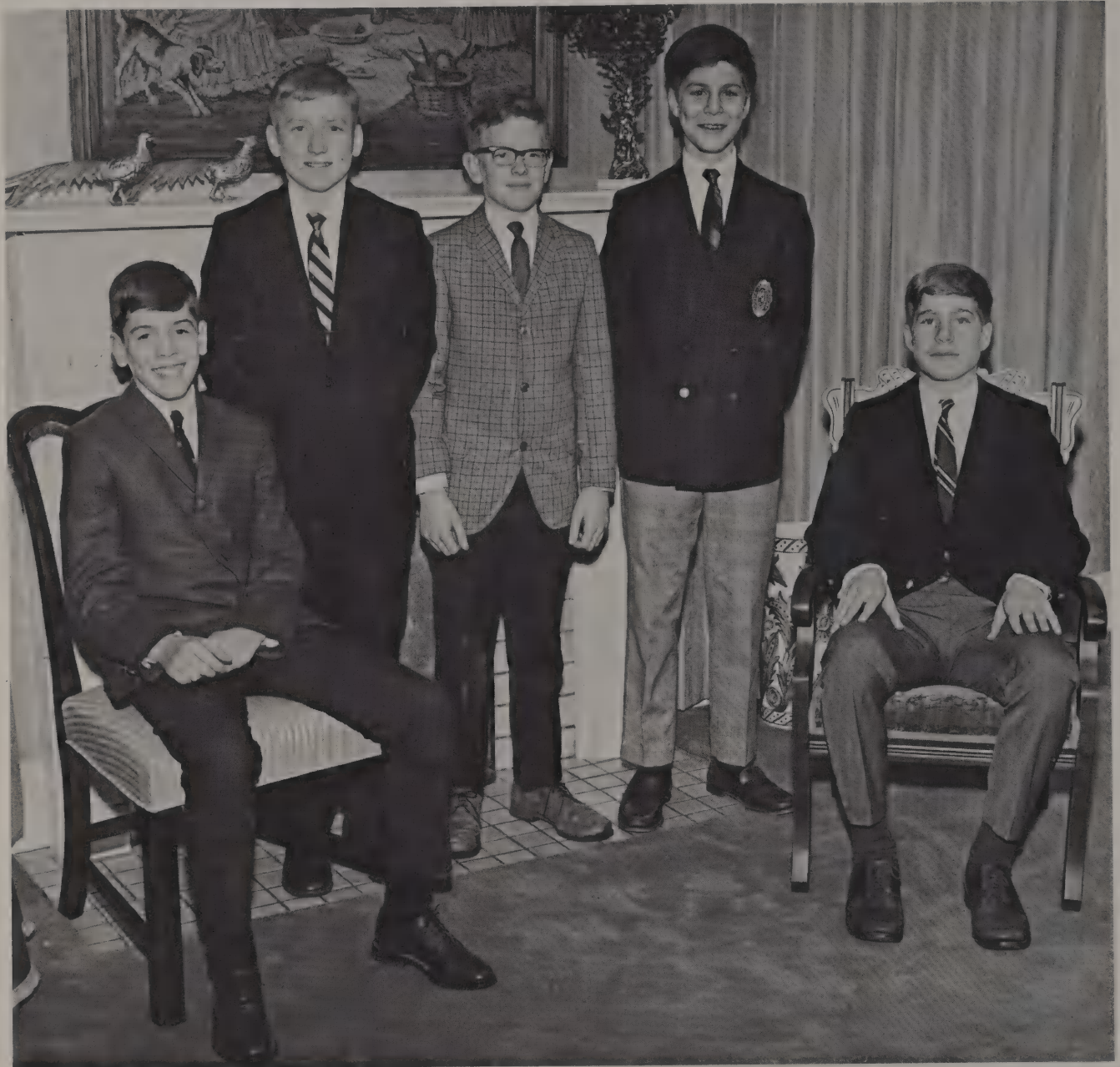
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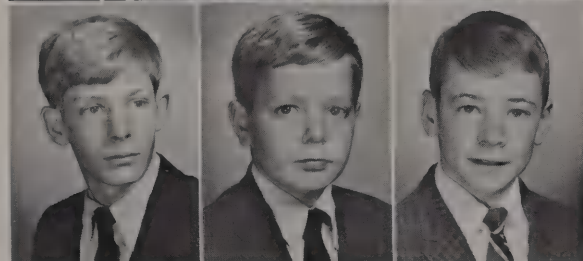
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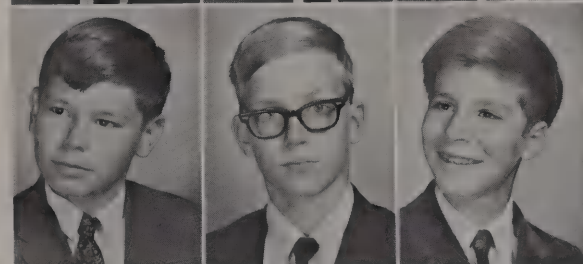
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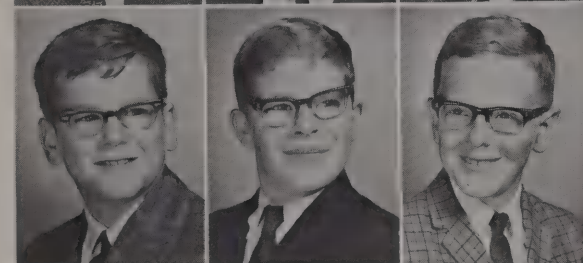
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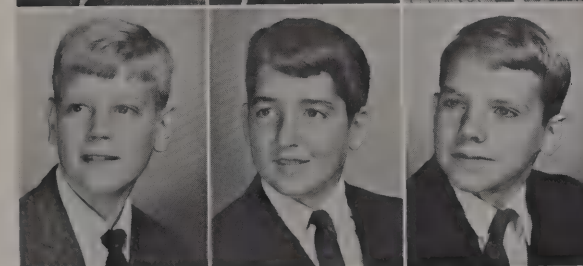
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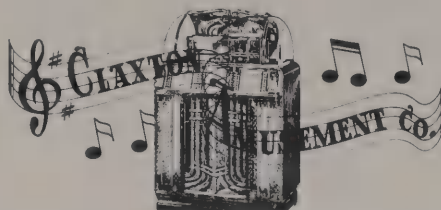


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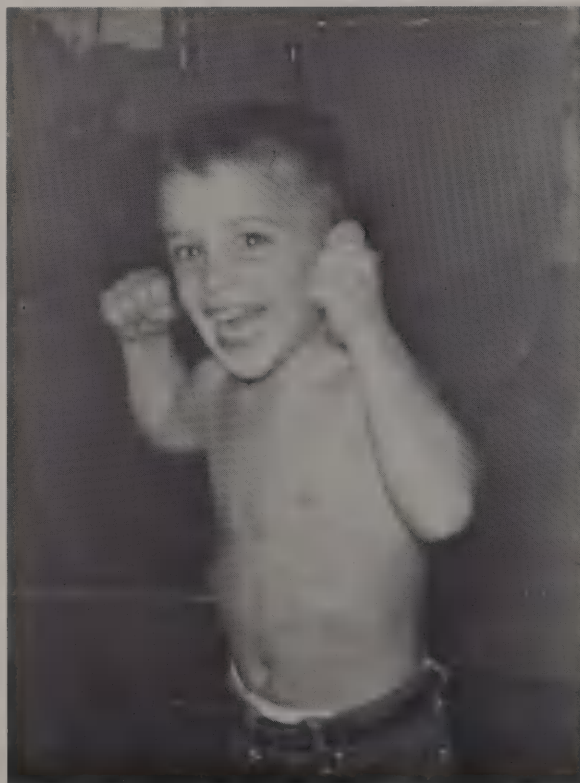
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8—New boarders introduced to Mr. Smithson and Bob.

9—Bob tells fans, "I'll *never* be able to play again!"

10—Physic's class learns of Patterson's obstacle course,  
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11—Moonlight begins in New Dorm.

15—Football team loses scholarships.

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12—Cards drop series—Berry brothers kill each other.

13—Anderson begins year-long demolition derby.

19—BGA's first under-over ground newspaper, "Tiger Lily," is discovered; hailed as first completely censored newspaper.

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29—BGA Wildcats end perfect season—Coach Cherry offered coaching job at Vanderbilt.

30—Skip Beadle nominated for best dressed on the football team for his excellent attire at the Hillsboro game.

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9—Mr. Smithson breaks Wasp.

10—Boarders celebrate.

20—Absence of the senior satirical theatrical production mournfully noted.

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9—Masked figure seen brandishing sword at gym.

19—McLeod's first and last Monday in school, for English exam.

23—Primm tries out his fiberglass bumper. Bumper intact, car demolished.

26—Seniors make applications for postgraduate work.

29—Gentry releases haircut list; reveals himself as part owner of the Franklin Barber Shop.

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8—Dodson finally recovers from Delta Sigma formal.

19—Mr. Bragg auditions as a "soul man" for the Jefferson Airplane.

26—Coach Flatt seen with gleam in his eye as spring football practice starts.

28—Yearbook staff pulls 17th, and final, all-nighter.

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8—Assault on the Old Dorm is promptly put down by Rabbit Akin.

11—Gardner discovers that marshmallows roasted over a Bunsen burner are superior to BGA kitchen cookery.

19—Mass exodus to Florida begins.

24—School resumes.

26—Signs of Spring—Hot water returns to Senior Dorm.

31—Primm returns to classes with deeper tan than last year.

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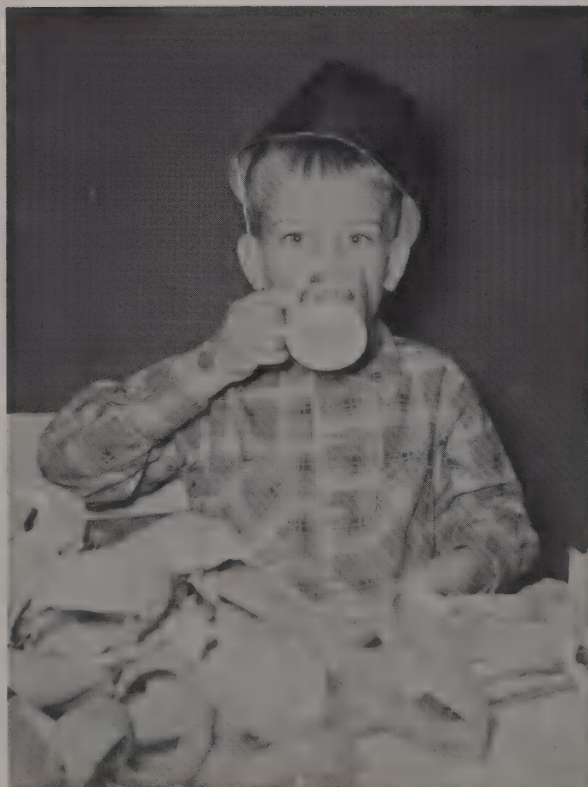
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3—Speech students pick up ■ new hobby—ornithology.

10—U.S. History term papers due today. Lewis Maddux gives his paper to Bob Selph to deliver to school and promptly retires at 7:00 A.M.

13—Drew Oliver becomes verbal.

15—Seniors hear from college, Early turned down by Slippery Rock.

19—Urchin asks Mr. Moore who Apple Jacks is.

25—Key Club directories finally go on sale.

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May

9—Ed Uthman does imitation of Coach Cherry; Mr. Akin hires new geometry teacher.

10—Josh Huffman gets laryngitis—strange silence falls over New Dorm.

23—Mr. Richardson finally despairs of doing chemistry experiments after seventh graders spill 1,704th bucket of water en route to classroom.

26—Mr. Bragg gives "Old Man and the Sea" test.

30—Katzoff and Mr. Patterson finally agree on something—Graduation Day.



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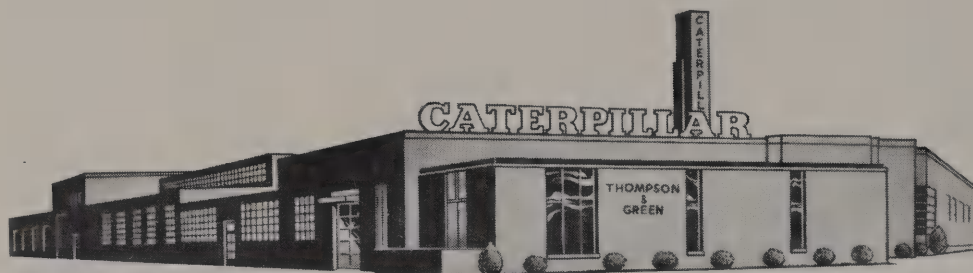
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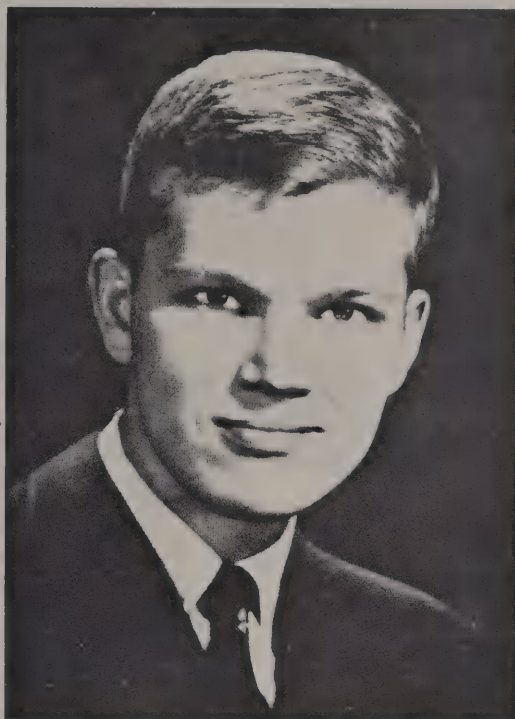
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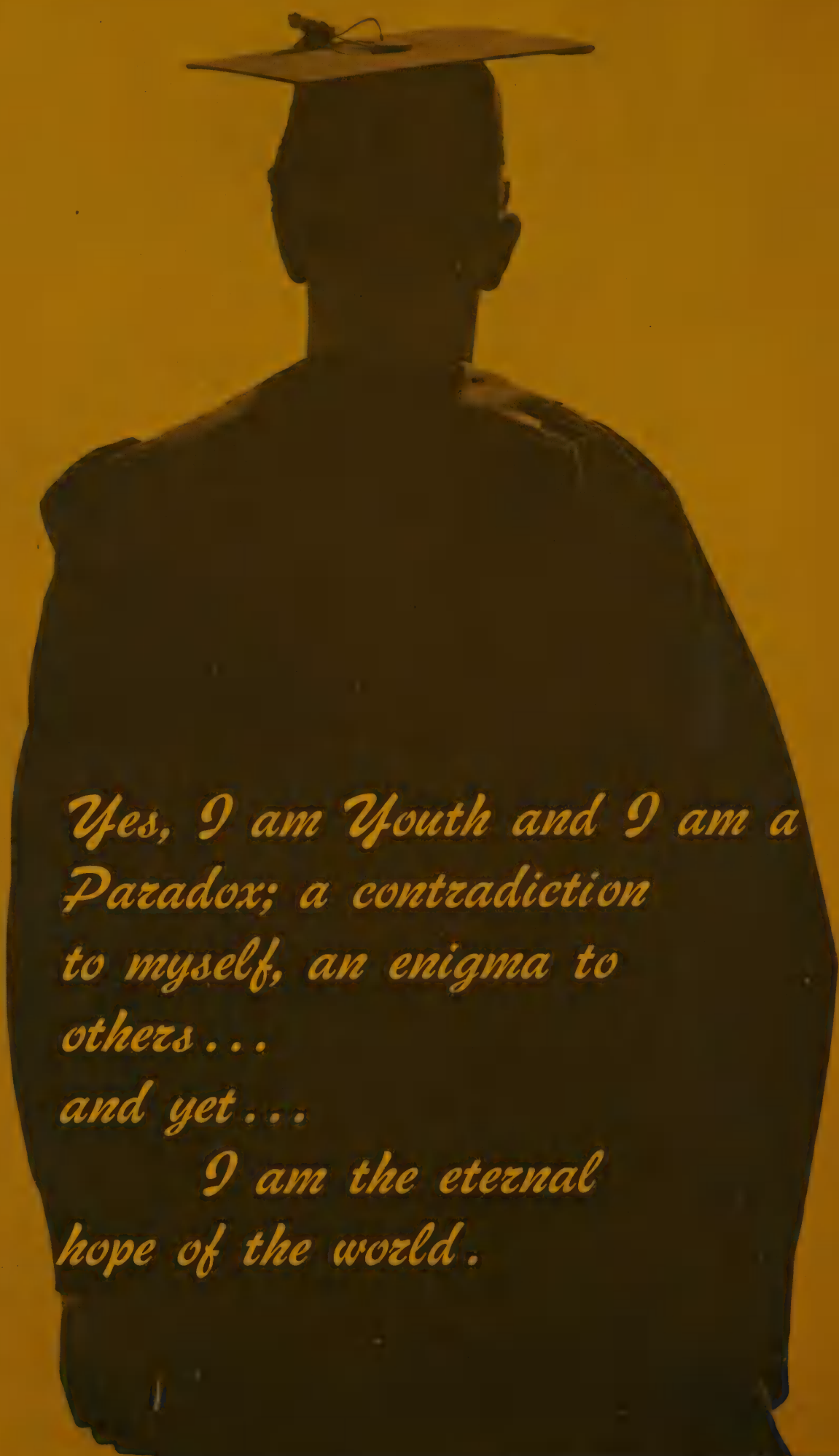
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Fuzz, (Molly B.'s got her grip on you, big un!)

This has really been a great year and next year should be even better. Rick, you are a great friend and I have really appreciated your friendship over the past four years. You have done a lot for me that I know about and much more that I don't know about, especially in  $\Delta\Sigma$ . I probably would have quit a long time ago if it hadn't been for you. Good luck in all your undertakings in the future, and I know you'll really be an asset to  $\Delta\Sigma$  as secretary and to B.G.A. as V-P.

Thanks a million for being a friend to whom I can turn to often. Jack  $\Delta\Sigma$  is BEST!



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others...*

*and yet...*

*I am the eternal  
hope of the world.*

Rick (Fuzz)

Thank you for giving me this important space in which to sign this annual. This is probably how you feel about me too. Seriously I really appreciate your friendship (?) and what all you've done for me these past three years. Cheerleading with you, playing basketball with you, and even watching you play baseball have inspired me to greater heights. Really Rick you have a lot going for you in the fraternity and honor council (you don't know it yet but you are V.P.) and don't let anyone keep you from getting it. Good luck with Molly (I know that she will probably read this so I shall write nothing vulgar) and will school and basketball next year and I hope to get the pleasure of seeing you next year.

Rick Francis  
ΔΣ is best  
keep it there

Fuzzy,

Good luck in basketball  
and baseball next year. I  
hope you have success in  
school next year.

Fag

Ruck,

Been good tale in class  
~~see~~ with you this year. Congrats  
on being the V.P. I know you can  
do a good job. Take care of your  
drawing pencil. See you next year.

Chris Ross

Fuzzy,  
It has really been great  
knowing you these past couple  
of years. Although we haven't  
gott together as much as I  
wished, we have still had our  
good times. Keep up the good  
work in the round ball  
game & maybe we can do  
something next year. Good luck  
in everything you do. Congrats  
on V.P. of student body. Hope  
to see you alot this summer  
T. Harrell  
KF

Black  
If I don't hear from you  
I'll write you soon  
I'm thinking about you  
and I'm in a hurry  
to see you again  
I hope you are well  
and happy  
I love you  
Bessie



Rich,

Oh Rich I am going to miss you so much. Just think the he been just a crossroads in our lives. - a chance meeting. Just think when you are old you can tell your kids that you knew Jim Powers. What a thrill. it will be for them. Besides now, I have really enjoyed the whole bit. Next year you won't be able to get a math. Better bone up buddy. If you can keep yourself out of trouble you may someday make me proud of you. I leave you in the capable hands of fate and let that be enough of a warning. Considering everything you are still a pretty good kid even though I have to pop you a couple times. I do care cause you just might end up at Podunk in a couple years. Try + get the B-ball team up. I have some confidence in you. Good luck + take good care of Mollie. Your eternal friend  
Jim



Rick,

It's been great getting  
to know you better this  
year. We made it  
through Mech. Drawing  
finally. I don't see how.  
Have fun this summer  
and take care of ΔΣ and  
Nashville. Congrat on H.C.  
Good Luck in Basketball  
& Baseball next year.  
Chuck Code

Well Rick, I hope you've  
enjoyed this year. I know  
that you've made it a  
good year for me. Have  
fun during the summer  
and I hope I'll see you  
a lot. Good Luck next  
year. Bobby Cheff

-RICK-

ALMOST MADE IT IN MECH  
DRAWING THIS YEAR. JUST ONE  
MORE LINE HERE + ANOTHER  
THERE? WELL, HAVE FUN  
THIS SUMMER + I'LL SEE  
YOU NEXT YEAR  
BRAD

Rick

It's been great getting to  
know you better this year.  
Congradulation on being  
on the student council.  
Good Luck  
Sammy Lake



